

Dispute Over Chairmanship Threatens To Upset Amity

(By The Associated Press)
UNITED NATIONS TODAY
Steering committee meets at 10:30 a. m. Pacific Time (1:30 p. m. E.W.T.) to try to break deadlock over conference organization.

Full conference session meets at 3:30 p. m. Pacific War Time (6:30 p. m. E.W.T.) to hear further addresses by chairmen of delegations.

By JOHN M. HIGHTOWER
(Associated Press Diplomatic News Editor)
San Francisco, April 27 (AP)—Russian determination to wield decisive, perhaps dominant influence in the creation of world peace machinery today threatened the United Nations conference with a series of high-power crises.

Hot tempers and hurt feelings as well as lingering hopes of a compromise went into today's second round of the battle over selection of a conference chairman. But even if this could be settled without more dispute, delegates generally took a pessimistic view.

The fight which broke out in a closed meeting of the steering committee yesterday, when Foreign Commissar Molotov blocked the election of Secretary of State Stettinius as chairman, demonstrated anew the Big-Three disunity which had developed in the dispute about Poland.

Timetable Upset
There was widespread fear that the same situation would arise over even more critical issues which the conference still has to tackle.

The whole conference of 46 nations has been thrown off its timetable by the chairmanship outbreak.

Today's 10:30 a. m. (Pacific War Time) (Please Turn to Page 2)

New Assault On Negros In Philippines

Manila, April 27 (AP)—American amphibious forces have invaded Negros in the second assault on that Philippine island since last March 29.

Shortly after the first troops hit the beach at Dumaguete, on the southern tip of the island, the Japanese—apparently prepared for such an eventuality—systematically began destroying the city.

Explosions rocked Dumaguete as assault forces began the invasion yesterday, and a smoke pall rose from the beautiful seaport city. Dumaguete had been damaged early in the war but had been rebuilt extensively by the Filipinos.

Associated Press Correspondent Richard Bergholz, who flew over the city four hours after the invasion began, reported it still looked "fairly intact."

Negros was invaded first on the northwest coast March 29, and three days later swiftly-advancing troops of the 40th division captured Bacolod, a provincial capital.

A Japanese menace to Manila's dwindling water supply commanded renewed attention today even though American forces appeared to be driving the enemy from two major objectives elsewhere in the Philippines.

Two Yank regiments continued to battle entrenched Nipponese in the mountains east of Manila, trying to liberate the water source before a shortage materializes.

Cut Nip Lines On Okinawa

Guam, April 27 (AP)—Closely supported by relentless warship shelling, Maj. Gen. James L. Bradley's 96th Division infantrymen were through the first line of Japanese defenses on southern Okinawa today and hammering a wedge deeper into tough secondary positions.

New high ground in the center of the line, captured by the 96th yesterday, gave the doughboys command of all dominating terrain on the outer rim of the thick belt of fortifications defending Naha, Okinawa's capital.

The 400-foot height was stormed after the Japanese made a general withdrawal under heavy artillery shelling. Resistance was surprisingly light.

On the east coast, meantime, Maj. Gen. Archibald V. Arnold's Seventh Division sent patrols to the northern approaches of the Yonabaru airstrip. On the west coast Maj. Gen. George W. Griner's 27th Division, moving toward the Machinato airstrip, was reducing a pocket around Gukuma village.

Weather Forecast
Cooler tonight with light frost; Saturday fair and a little warmer.

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FRUITMEN SET BASE PAY FOR IMPORTED HELP; ASSESS DAMAGE

Base rates for labor imported into the county to pick cherries, apples and tomatoes were fixed at a meeting of the Fruit Growers association of Adams county with the county farm labor wage rate committee Thursday night in the Biglerville auditorium.

The nearly 200 growers present agreed that the base rates would be the same as those set last year as they were reminded those rates would not necessarily be the wages paid. The base rate is the minimum which must be paid to all labor imported into the county and contracted for through the Emergency Farm Labor committee.

In most cases the pickers receive higher wages. However, the growers were reminded also, that if they can contract locally or otherwise for labor at lower wages than the base rate they were free to do so.

No Rate On Peaches

The base rate for cherries was fixed at three cents a quart; for apples at 10 cents per bushel, and for tomatoes, 10 cents for a 1/2 bushel basket. There was no one present who anticipated needing help for bean picking, and no one who planned to cut pulp wood with the help of imported labor, and as a consequence no rates were fixed for those jobs.

The committee also did not establish a base rate for peaches. The general consensus of opinion was that there were too many varied ideas on the rates for peaches.

During the meeting, growers from various sections of the county reported on the freeze damage noticeable so far on the fruit trees. Most of the men agreed that the cherries had suffered most in the heavy frosts which nipped the county early in the month.

Frost Cut Cherry Crop

All areas, with the exception of the Aspers district reported an anticipated crop of only one-third to one-half as many cherries as normally.

Indications were that the county would have a larger peach crop and probably also a slightly larger apple crop.

In general, the least damage was reported to peaches, with apples suffering midway between the cherry and peach crops. Although men from Orttanna and Aspers areas reported peach and apple crops of about two-thirds as much as in 1944, one Flora Dale grower said he probably would have "plenty of peaches and twice as many apples" as in 1944.

"Freak Freeze"

The fruit men said that the freezes this year have been "just the reverse" of normal years. Association Vice-president Harvey B. Raffensperger, of Arendtsville, who presided at the meeting, said, "The freezes did just what you'd expect them not to do."

The path of the cold weather seemed to follow no fixed course, but roamed around like a cyclone, he said. He told of one orchard in which all of the blossoms had been frozen in one spot while 80 feet away the trees were not harmed at all. Most of the freeze damage was done to orchards on low ground, and (Please Turn to Page 5)

BAR HONORS JUDGE SHEELY

Members of the Adams County Bar association gathered at a dinner meeting Thursday evening at the Hotel Gettysburg in honor of and in endorsement of President Judge W. C. Sheely who is the only candidate on either of the two major parties' tickets for election to the judgeship.

A feature of the evening was the reading of messages from county lawyers serving in the armed forces overseas who endorsed the judge for reelection. The letters also expressed approval of the formal endorsement of Judge Sheely by the Bar association last month.

William L. Meals, Esq., association president, read the letters which were received from Daniel E. Teeter, in Assam, India; Edward B.

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Cpls. Smith; One Wounded

Tech/5 Herbert L. Smith, twin son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Smith, 145 West Broadway, who was wounded in action in Germany, April 10, is pictured at the right with his brother, Tech/5 Harvey Smith. The twins have been together since they entered the army in February, 1943. They have been serving as operators of a radio fire direction center in an artillery unit with General Patton's Third Army.



ORDER BOARDS TO TIGHTEN UP ON DEFERMENTS

Harrisburg, April 27 (AP)—A Selective Service directive to local boards today ordered tightening up of occupational deferments for registrants 18 to 29 to help fill lagging quotas.

Col. John McI. Smith, state director, declared "we feel that to fill these calls which we are not filling now, some of these men ought to be made available."

"Local boards are falling behind in their quotas," he stated. "Only 68 per cent of Pennsylvania's call was supplied in March and it is running about the same in April."

Col. Smith said he expected the new directive to improve the situation, explaining "we have instances where certifying agencies have certified practically 100 per cent of the 18-29 registrants for deferments."

To Review Cases

Pennsylvania Selective Service has ordered induction of 11,880 men into the armed forces during May, approximately 2,000 less than April, and directed boards to call up at the same time 17,529 for pre-induction physical examination.

Col. Smith said that under the new directive, boards were told to give most serious consideration to men between 18 and 29 who have been receiving occupational deferments after filing forms 42-A.

A review of such cases was ordered with the instruction it is not mandatory that all those filing form 42-A be deferred even though certified by war agencies.

"We reminded local boards they are not mere rubber stamps," said Col. Smith. "We pointed out the boards are still making the determination. If it is felt a man is of no importance to industry and is not indispensable, they should put him in 1-A."

Teacher, 16 Pupils Join County Library

First Adams county school teacher to take out a life membership in the Adams County Free Library association is Mrs. Elsie B. Wolf, East Lincoln avenue, teacher at Good Intent school in Straban township. In addition to the \$25 membership taken by Mrs. Wolf, 16 of the 33 pupils enrolled at the school subscribed junior charter memberships at 50 cents each.

The names of the junior members as reported to the office of the county superintendent of schools at the court house follow: Boyd Henderson, Phyllis, Harold, William and Clyde Cleveland, Miriam and Catherine Bigham, Anna Mae Bigham, Shirley Guise, Carolyn Fulton, Linda and Louise Koken, William Weigle, Ray West, Doris Mayer and Helen Martin.

Pfc. William R. Fox Reported As Missing

Pfc. William R. Fox has been reported as missing in action in northern Italy since February 27, his wife, Mrs. William Fox, Fairfield R. 2, has been informed by the War Department.

This is the second time Pfc. Fox has been reported as missing. On October 17, 1944, he was wounded and about a month later his wife received his Purple Heart award.

Pfc. Fox was inducted in 1943 and received his basic training at Fort McClellan, Ala.

COUNTIAN WHO IS NAZI PRISONER IS DECORATED

A New Oxford man, now a prisoner of the Germans, has been awarded the Silver Star medal for valor in helping clear a path through a mined area while under fire to help rescue four wounded Americans. The hero is Technician Fifth Grade George R. Griffin, 27-year old son of Mrs. Merna A. Pressel, Berlin avenue, New Oxford, who has been a prisoner of the Nazis since October 29, 1944.

Announcement that the Silver Star medal has been awarded T-5 Griffin was made in a letter from Adjutant General James A. Ulio to the soldier's mother General Ulio wrote:

"Gallantry In Action"
"I have the honor to inform you that by direction of the President, the Silver Star has been awarded to your son, Technician Fifth Grade George R. Griffin, Corps of Engineers. The citation is as follows: 'Technician Fifth Grade George R. Griffin distinguished himself by gallantry in action on 16 October, 1944, in the area of (censored). Technician Fifth Grade Griffin's squad was clearing a mined road when four men from another unit were wounded by anti-personnel mines.'

"Together with two others in the squad, Technician Fifth Grade Griffin unhesitatingly went to their aid, probing a path through the danger area. They continued on their slow, hazardous job for over an hour, despite the constant artillery, mortar and rocket shells hitting in the area."

Taken Prisoner In Holland

"The path cleared, Technician Fifth Grade Griffin aided in the evacuation of the injured soldiers to a point where medical aid treatment could be administered. His willingness to brave great danger to save the lives of four of his comrades reflects the highest credit on himself and the Armed Forces."

"Since this award cannot be for (Please Turn to Page 6)

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RED CROSS WAR FUND IS \$7,000 "OVER THE TOP"

With Adams county's 1945 American Red Cross War fund drive nearly \$7,000 over its original \$28,000 goal, chapter officials reported today that the fund was only \$173 short of reaching \$35,000.

The drive, the most successful in the chapter's history, is more than \$5,000 ahead of last year when what was then a record \$29,400 was raised.

Chapter officials today released a table of the comparative collections in Gettysburg and the various other districts in the county for the two years. Only three collection districts, all in Gettysburg, showed smaller donations this year than last, while the remainder of the sections more than offset that difference.

Districts Results

The table follows:

	1945	1944
1 W. 1 P.	\$ 861.53	\$ 781.45
1 W. 2 P.	1,083.50	1,135.85
2 Ward	2,864.16	2,898.96
3 Ward	813.55	815.42
Bus. Dist.	4,692.92	4,625.28
Schools, Col.	502.01	379.99
Clubs, Orgs.	1,368.00	687.30
Other Gifts	286.24	225.70
Total	\$12,471.91	\$11,549.95
District 1	1,332.66	1,099.58
District 2	1,162.33	895.65
District 3	7,483.15	5,441.96
District 4	1,681.00	1,579.62
District 5	1,737.85	1,110.30
District 6	2,342.00	1,804.88
District 7	1,421.27	1,275.50
District 8	4,024.80	3,530.93
District 9	1,170.35	1,112.27
Grand Totals ..	\$34,827.32	\$29,400.64

The various districts were identified as follows: District 1, Fairfield, Orttanna and vicinity; district 2, Cashtown, McKnightstown and vicinity; district 3, Upper Adams county, Biglerville, Arendtsville, Bendersville, Gardners, Aspers, Idaville and outlying districts; district 4, York Springs and outlying districts; district 5, East Berlin, Hampton, Abbottstown and outlying districts; district 6, New Oxford, Hunterstown and vicinity; district 7, McSherrytown and outlying districts; district 8, Littlestown and outlying districts, and district 9, Gettysburg R. D.

Nephew Killed In Mid-Air Plane Crash

Capt. Thomas S. Sanders, 28, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sanders, Carlisle, was killed in a mid-air plane crash Thursday in Tennessee.

Capt. Sanders, pilot of a B-24, was well known in Gettysburg and was a nephew of Mrs. H. F. Harbach, York street. He entered the service in 1939 as a musician with the band at Carlisle Barracks.

KEEFER JOINS BIGLER STAFF

Prof. Clarence P. Keefer, supervising principal of the New Oxford schools for the last 23 years, has accepted a position as director of extra-curricular activities and instructor in Latin and French at Biglerville high school.

In making the announcement Prof. L. V. Stock, supervising principal of the Biglerville schools, revealed Prof. Keefer was elected at a school board meeting three weeks ago and announced Thursday he would accept after submitting his resignation to the New Oxford board.

Prof. Keefer will assume his duties next September. He is a graduate of Millersville State Teachers' college and received his bachelor of arts degree from Gettysburg college and master's degree at Columbia university, New York.

He will succeed Mrs. Charlotte Waltemyer Smith who is resigning at the end of the present term to join her husband, Lt. (jg) James M. Smith, now serving as a doctor with the Navy in the Pacific. Lt. Smith expects to return this summer.

No successor has been named at New Oxford to succeed Prof. Keefer.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

A daughter, Carole Jean, was born recently to Mr. and Mrs. John Hostetter, Washington, D. C. This is their first child. Mrs. Hostetter is the former Miss Janet Mickle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mickle, Orttanna.

Other Allied Armies Converging On Alpine Hideout; War's Climax

WAR BRIEFS

(By The Associated Press)

The fighting 69th Division, first to join the Russians in the heart of Germany, is one of the newer fighting units on the western front.

Maj. Gen. Emil Reinhardt's men first were mentioned in battle on the Roer river 20-odd miles west of Cologne in the campaign which rolled up the Rhineland and destroyed a great share of the German west of the Rhine.

It belongs to Gen. Hodges' First Army and last was a member of Maj. Gen. Clarence R. Huebner's Fifth corps.

Washington, April 27 (AP)—Told emphatically the Army has no intention of junking the Geneva War Prisoner convention, the House Military Committee moved today to correct isolated cases of what some members called "coddling."

War department representatives, awaiting recall Monday for further questioning into the handling of prisoners in this country, conferred with committee members on reports that in some cases prisoners were being treated too leniently.

London, April 27 (AP)—An attempt by the Germans to reinforce their garrison at Hamburg from the sea was broken up late yesterday by rocket-firing Typhoons of the RAF.

Just before dusk, the Nazis sped several heavily laden barges into the port and started unloading them. A reconnaissance pilot reported the activity, two attacks were made and a number of barges were sunk. Many explosions indicated the craft may have carried ammunition.

The Germans were fighting bitterly in the defense of Hamburg, not only to hold the port but to keep open the escape highways to Denmark. Signs of a general movement north toward the Danish frontier were reported by Allied fliers. Between 75 and 100 vehicles were destroyed.

Moscow, April 27 (AP)—Russian storm units, breaking into the center of Berlin under clouds of rolling smoke, found it looking more like a gigantic junk heap today than the heart of the capital of the third Reich.

Izvestia correspondent Vsevolod Ivanov quoted a Red Army officer from Stalingrad as saying: "You can't recognize Berlin. Not that I was here before, but if this is the center there should be some buildings."

Fighting also broke out afresh in the suburbs under the city, said Capt. Edward Gekhnman, a correspondent for the army newspaper Red Star. He said struggles also raged high above the ground "in the corridors, on the staircases and even in the attics and on the roofs of the bigger buildings."

Salvage Heads On Tour Of County

S. W. Vance, general salvage representative of the WPB, and Dr. Eugene Elgin, East Berlin, county chairman, Thursday morning began a tour of Adams county to determine areas where salvage collection is lagging. The tour will be completed today.

Dr. Elgin has again requested that tin cans, paper and other salvage be taken to the nearest fire company in the district as soon as possible as there is an urgent need for salvage.

OFFICER PROMOTED

George R. Tate, Arendtsville, who is stationed in the Marianas, was promoted from second lieutenant to first lieutenant on March 22, his family has been informed.

Many children's garments, all sizes, ages, at rummage sale, 106 West Middle Street, today and Saturday.

By WILLIAM L. RYAN
(Associated Press War Editor)

Russian and American troops joined on the Elbe river, Moscow, Washington and London announced in triumphant bulletins today.

The climactic event took place at Torgau, 75 miles south of Berlin, yesterday. It capped a 2,100-mile Russian march across eastern Europe and the long Allied drive through Africa, Sicily, Italy and then through France and Germany itself.

As Berlin burned in the mighty swirling battle which had reduced the Nazis in their citadel to a narrowing pocket, President Truman in Washington hailed the linkup as splitting Germany in two and said "the last faint desperate hope of Hitler and his gangster government has been extinguished."

Troops of the 69th Division of Gen. Hodges' First Army joined with those of the 58th Soviet Guards in Marshal Ivan S. Konev's First Ukraine Army. Patrols had established positions the day before 58 miles southwest of Berlin.

The historic announcement came as Gen. Patton's forces were plunging into Austria within radio contact of the Russians there, and as Allied armies from all sides stabbed powerfully toward the Alpine hideout where the Nazis were expected to make a death stand.

The President's announcement said the junction took place yesterday at Torgau on the Elbe river, 75 miles south of Berlin. This meant a linkup of the powerful First Ukraine Army of Marshal Ivan S. Konev and Gen. Hodges' mighty U. S. First Army.

Still another junction was impending and may already have taken place to the north, where the German high command said U. S. Ninth Army troops of Lt. Gen. William H. Simpson had surged across the Elbe river on both sides of Tangermunde, 15 1/2 miles from German-reported positions of Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's First White Russian Army.

Soviet Artillery Cracking Berlin
This was the mighty climax of the war. Berlin's inner defenses were cracking under a mountainous hail of Soviet artillery as the Russians swept up all but a third of the burning capital. The battle roared into its seventh day.

Marshal Feodor I. Tolbukhin's Third Ukraine Army was plunging westward from Vienna, nearing Gen. Patton's lines, and all Czechoslovakia, it appeared, soon would be encircled and its Nazi remnants hacked to bits.

Allied troops in Italy swept northward toward the Alpine hideout across a broad front.

Not Yet Final Victory
French troops driving east were 31 miles from Munich and 78 from the Brenner Pass, goal of the Italian drive. American Seventh Army troops, in a bid to encircle Munich, were 35 miles away on the north from that birthplace of the Nazi party.

"The enemy has been cut in two," President Truman's announcement said, but it added, "this is not the hour of final victory in Europe, but the hour draws near—the hour for which all the American people, all the British people and all the Soviet people have toiled and prayed so long."

The statement added a caution, however, that the war in the Pacific still was to be fought, and it said there must be no pause on the home front or the battlefronts.

Join On Broad Front
The linkup between the Americans and the Russians evidently was in force along a broad front. The President's press secretary said patrols had linked up the day before yesterday. It had been announced some time ago that no announcement of the union would be made until it was effected in force.

A delayed field dispatch said Third Army troops in Austria near the Czechoslovak border had seized Nazi Field Marshal Albert Kesselring's private train. The Germans' southern commander himself was reported bottled up in besieged Regensburg.

A new attack on north Italy was launched from the west. French forces leaped across the Italian frontier from the Riviera and pressed in the direction of Genoa, which a "free Milan" broadcast said

had been entered by American Fifth Army troops.

Cutting Off Czechoslovakia
Swiss advances indicated the Germans in northern Italy were in flight toward the Bavarian redoubt to join the death stand.

Last reports many hours behind developments placed the Russians 85 miles from Patton's spearheads in Austria. But the ordinary range of Russian tank radios is only about 25 miles.

As Patton's tanks threatened to cut off all of what remained of Czechoslovakia and bottle up the redoubt on the north, the Allies flung two other armies against the Alpine hideout areas from the north and west, and the Allied armies of Italy smashed ahead toward completion of the seal-off.

The American Fifth Army rolled (Please Turn to Page 2)

RED INFLUENCE BRINGS CHANGES THRU BALKANS

By DEWITT MACKENZIE
(Associated Press War Analyst)

If you'll take your war map and, with a colored crayon, fill in the area from which the Germans have been driven by the towering tidal wave sweeping westward out of Russia, you'll see that you have virtually a solid block which reaches down and covers all but a tiny corner of the Balkan peninsula.

Now that's of the greatest importance. It signifies that the fiery Balkans—for centuries the cockpit of southeastern Europe and the whipping ground of wars—are undergoing a mighty change along with the rest of the continent. For we have there not only a military resurgence which has reclaimed the lands ravaged by the Huns, but a vast political change.

And if you happen to choose a red crayon for your map work, you will with this color have interpreted the phenomenon. That is to say, Red Russia is the impulse back of this development in the Balkans which, by and large, now fall within the Soviet sphere of influence. That's a point not to be forgotten.

Bulgaria Cooperates

While you and I have been watching the catastrophe which is overwhelming the Reich's own territory, the Balkans have stolen a march on us. Marshal Tito's forces have all but flung the Germans out of Yugoslavia, strategic keystone of the whole Balkan peninsula, and have even crossed the old Yugoslav-Italian frontier. Up in the valley of the Drava they're thrusting towards Austria itself, which we learn today General Patton has penetrated along with the Russians.

One of the most remarkable aspects of this situation is that the Yugoslavs and the Bulgarians are cooperating in the military operations. A couple of years ago such a partnership would have been unbelievable, for Bulgaria—bad lad of the Balkans—long has been a lone wolf, on the out with most of the neighbors. Romania, too, is in the fold, and cocky little Albania, once more free of German and Italian tyrants, has a "popular front" government which gives signs of being well within the Muscovite orbit.

The offensive of the Yugoslavs—long famous as among the best of the world's fighting men—has grown with success until it has become a real menace to Hitler's shaky backdoor. Coincident with the arrival of Yugoslav troops on the Italian frontier, we have reports of a powerful insurrection of patriots in northern Italy. The rebellious citizens are said to have captured the great city of Milan, from which the broken and frightened Mussolini is rumored to have fled in disgust and disguise to Como near the Swiss border.

Thus we see that the military interests—and perhaps the political leanings—of this whole vast area of the Balkans and Italy are tending to merge. And of course both Hungary and Austria can be included in this field.

Epic Junction

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west of Lake Garda, taking Piacenza, and gained toward Genoa, already reported unofficially in partisan hands. The strategic city of Verona was being mopped up. Its capture virtually sealed off the Brenner pass route for German troops in northern Italy.

Soviet dispatches from Berlin said Red artillery was blasting a fiery path for waves of Russian infantry pouring down all the main thoroughfares leading to the famous Tiertgarten, Unter Den Linden and the Wilhelmstrasse. All but a third of Berlin was in Russian hands.

To the west one report said the Russians and Americans were lined up on either side of the Elbe river, with scarcely a Nazi soldier between their forces. A Swiss radio report said the Americans had met the Russians on a broad front.

New Junctions Near

Two junctures impended—one between the U. S. Ninth and forces of Marshal Gregory K. Zhukov's First White Russian Army, the other between Marshal Ivan S. Konev's First Ukrainian Army and the U. S. First to the south.

The great Baltic port of Stettin has fallen to the Russians. Bruenn in Czechoslovakia, one of the Nazis' last arsenal cities has been taken. The fall of Breslau, well behind the fronts, seemed imminent. Some 277 of Berlin's 431 square miles were conquered in the seventh day of the battle for the capital.

Patton's troops plunged into Austria last night after a nine-mile advance of the 11th Armored Division. The crossing climaxed a 130-mile push, and gave Patton control of 80 miles of the Danube from captured Ingolstadt to Deggendorf. At the same time the Third's infantry was driving southeast of Ingolstadt on the Munich superhighway and by last night was 40 miles from the birthplace of Nazism.

7th Drives On Munich

Farther west the U. S. Seventh Army was 35 miles from Munich. The French First Army had cut off the Black forest area and driven within 13 miles of Friedrichshafen, a big German aircraft center.

In the north the British, after

Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Biglerville 8

The U. S. Forest Service Ladies met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. John Elliott. Mrs. Leland Carlson, Mrs. Burton D. Anders, Mrs. Richard E. Whitaker and Mrs. Clair Arneson assisted as hostesses. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. William Bayer, McKnightstown, May 9.

Miss Charlotte Winebrenner, a student at the Washington School for Secretaries, Washington, D. C., will arrive this evening for a week-end visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Winebrenner, Baltimore street.

Mrs. Radford H. Lippy entertained the members of the Thursday Afternoon Bridge club this week at her home on Chambersburg street. The next meeting of the club will be held in two weeks with Mrs. Ralph Z. Oyer, West Broadway.

A rummage sale is being held today and Saturday by the Maude Miller Bible class of St. James Lutheran church at 106 West Middle street.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ditzler, Biglerville; Mrs. Roy Leatherman, Munnasburg; and Mr. and Mrs. Emmert Leatherman, Gettysburg, spent Thursday in Hagerstown.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Prince of Peace Episcopal church will meet Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. A. A. Hughes, 28 West Middle street. All members are urged to attend.

The May meeting of the Gettysburg chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution will be held next Friday, May 4, at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Edgar L. Dear-dorff, Carlisle street. Additional hostesses will be Mrs. Walter Danforth, Mrs. C. Ross Shuman, Miss Alice Black, Mrs. J. C. Knox, Mrs. Raymond Topper, Mrs. George Smick, Miss Sara Lott, Mrs. Lesbia Crouse, Miss Alice Virginia Day, Miss Sabina Landis and Miss Jane Walter.

The election of officers will be held at this meeting. Announcement will be made later of plans for the program.

Six members of the Gettysburg Soroptimists club attended a dinner at the Cross Keys hotel Thursday night in celebration of the fifth anniversary of the founding of the Hanover Soroptimists club.

Mrs. Henrietta Blocher, a past president of the local club, spoke in behalf of the Gettysburg group and offered congratulations to the Hanover women. Others from Gettysburg who attended included Miss Mary Ramer, also a past president, and Mrs. E. Mae Beales, Mrs. Guyon Buehler, Mrs. J. Milton Bender and Mrs. C. T. Ziegler.

Mrs. Howard Weller and sons, Howard and Ronald, of North Hollywood, Calif., arrived this morning for a visit with Mrs. Weller's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George R. Martin, West High street.

Mrs. Elmer Warren entertained the members of the Tabern club Wednesday evening at her home on Springs avenue. The club will meet next week with Mrs. Frederick Tilberg, East Broadway.

William C. Tyson, who is transacting business in Pittsburgh this week, will return to his home on West Broadway Saturday.

Miss Dorothy Foth entertained the members of the Acorn club Wednesday evening at her home on East Broadway. The next meeting will be held in two weeks with Miss Esther Hartman, West Middle street.

Mrs. Jessie B. Long, Erie, is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Long, Seminary avenue.

Mrs. Minnie Bream entertained the members of the Iris Bridge club Thursday evening at her home on Chambersburg street. The club will meet next week with Mrs. Lloyd Hartman.

HOSPITAL REPORT

Mrs. Roy Crammer, Hanover; Evelyn Goulden, Emmitsburg; and Mrs. Harry Harbaugh, Biglerville R. 1, have been admitted as patients to the Warner hospital. Those discharged were Charles Tate, Arendtsville; Mrs. Max Shreve, Biglerville R. 2; Mrs. Louis A. Keppers and infant daughter, Jane Elizabeth, Taneytown R. 2; Ralph DeGroot, Littlestown; and Mrs. Robert H. Orner and infant daughter, Beverly Rae, Bendersville.

capturing Bremen, struck toward Bremerhaven, a port from which peace-time German liners had crossed the Atlantic. Additional strength released from the siege of Bremen was flung at Hamburg. At the same time it seemed likely that the Allies would strike northeast across the Schleswig-Holstein peninsula to cut off German fugitives in Denmark.

The Germans have announced that Reichsmarshal Hermann Goering had resigned as chief of the almost non-existent German air force because of an acute heart condition, but a Moscow report said the portly bearded marshal had fled by air to an unknown destination, taking with him his wife and some \$20,000,000 worth of loot.

DEATHS

Mrs. Ethel Swope McKee

The cremated remains of Mrs. Ethel Swope McKee, Massachusetts, will be interred in Evergreen cemetery Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock when committal services will be held.

The deceased was a daughter of the late John A. and Blanche (Mitchell) Swope. Her husband, Edwin J. McKee, died some time ago.

Surviving are three sons, John S., Glenville, Ill.; Edwin D., Tucson, Ariz.; and Brown Lee, Cahann, New Hampshire.

Shaefer Rites

Funeral services were held this morning at 10 o'clock from the Bender funeral home for Cleason E. Shaefer, 49, who died Monday morning at his home at Bayside, N. Y. The Rev. R. R. Gresh and Chaplain Lou Pierce, Texas, officiated. Interment in the National cemetery.

The pallbearers were John Stahl, John Shaefer, Lester Oyer, Mervin Crouse, Curvin Krout and Howard Hartzell.

WOMEN'S GUILD HOLDS MEETING

The Nevins Regional Women's Guild of the Reformed churches of York and Adams county met in its fourth annual session Thursday at Emanuel Reformed church, Hanover. Both the morning and afternoon sessions were in charge of Mrs. Oliver K. Maurer, president of the Red Lion guild.

Mrs. Howard S. Fox, Gettysburg, reported on education, and Mrs. Dobbs Ehlman, New Oxford, on missionary work.

Membership report showed a total of 1,552, an increase of 155 over last year. One new Women's Guild, at Hampton, and one new Girls' Guild at Trinity church, near Spring Grove, were reported. There were seven new life members and two new members in memoriam. The annual thank-offering showed an increase of over \$600 in the annual thank-offering collection of the region.

History of the group was read by Helen L. Barnhart, and Mrs. I. A. Raubenholt told of the annual meeting of the National board held in Cleveland in February. Rev. F. R. Casselman of New River, Md., spoke of work being done in the government housing project near the Glenn L. Martin Aircraft plant.

Memorial Service

Mrs. Edgar Heckert, York, was elected delegate for the Women's Guild and Mrs. John Kleingina, Hanover, was elected delegate for the Girls' Guild to the National convention in Philadelphia in June.

Mrs. Nevin Smith of Hanover had charge of memorial services for members who died during the year. The members voted to take up the International Sewing projects of the Congregational and Christian churches now considering a union with the Evangelical and Reformed churches.

During the meeting the resolutions were passed declaring non-support of the nurses' conscription bill and support of the bill to outlaw the sale of liquor in military training camps.

HAIL FALLS IN MOUNTAIN AREA

Northwestern Adams county, especially through the Buchanan valley section, reported hail Thursday as colder temperatures, high winds and lashing rain covered this area.

The hail, reported as of "medium size" and the "size of marbles," fell only a short time, however, and no damage was reported from any of a half-dozen districts contacted.

Neither was any serious damage reported because of the hard rain or wind which beat down many low bushes and plants in Gettysburg. The Arendtsville Fruit Laboratory recorded a low temperature of 42 degrees during the night.

A weather forecast from Pittsburgh today called for frost tonight and freezing temperatures in the valleys in the western part of the state.

An Associated Press dispatch from Pittsburgh said the wind velocity Thursday and last night averaged 35 miles an hour but reached a velocity of as high as 70 miles an hour. His prediction for Saturday was "fair, with temperature rising to about 60 degrees."

Arrive Overseas

Chaplain Major George H. Berkheimer, pastor of the Arendtsville Lutheran church, is now serving in the Philippines.

Cpl. Paul E. Myers, son of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Myers, York Springs, has arrived safely in Italy.

GAMES POSTPONED

The Biglerville-Arendtsville high school baseball game scheduled to be played at Arendtsville this afternoon has been postponed until May 7 because of wet grounds. The Hanover-Arendtsville tilt at Arendtsville scheduled for Thursday was postponed until May 14 because of rain.

NEW POLICY FOR FAMILIES OF CASUALTIES

The War and Navy departments have long recognized the sacrifices entailed when a family suffers the loss of successive members as war casualties. To lessen the risk of additional sacrifice by such families, a policy has been adopted to assign remaining members who are in the armed forces to non-hazardous duty. It is estimated that approximately 10,000 individuals in both services will be affected. This is an extension of the previous "sole surviving son" policy.

Specifically the policy will apply when it is established that two or more members of an immediate family group while serving in the armed forces in this war have been killed, died as a result of wounds, accident, or disease, or been reported as missing in action or as prisoners of war.

The remaining members of such a family who are in the armed forces will be assigned to non-hazardous duty upon request of the serviceman concerned or a member of his immediate family. This may mean duty in the rear area of an active theater, duty in an inactive theater or duty in the United States. A remaining member who is the sole surviving child or sole surviving son will in every case be retained in or returned to the United States for permanent assignment.

Cases under this policy must be brought to the attention of the Army or Navy by a member of the immediate family or the serviceman concerned.

Cases which have been previously submitted and denied under the "sole surviving son" policy should be resubmitted if consideration is desired under the new and broader policy.

PETAINE CONFINED IN PARIS FORT

Paris, April 27 (AP)—A severely furnished room in the fort of Montrouge received Marshal Petain at dawn today when he was returned to Paris to stand trial on a charge of treason.

His wife and two nurses accompanied the 89-year-old former Vichy chief of state.

Petaine's first request when he entered the room, virtually a cell, was for a picture of Gen. De Gaulle to hang on the wall. Police assigned to guard him gaped with surprise, but obtained the photograph from a young lieutenant.

The grim gray fort is a police establishment on the outskirts of Paris. It has both a barracks for gendarmes and a school where recruits are trained. The marshal will be held there until after the trial.

Honor John Albert At Farewell Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gettler entertained the employees of the bakery and their families at a dinner Wednesday evening at Fidler's restaurant, Biglerville honoring John Albert who is retiring this week after twenty-two years of service. Places were laid for forty-seven guests.

Guests included the Rev. and Mrs. Henry W. Sternat and Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus G. Bucher. Mr. Bucher who served as toastmaster, introduced the Rev. Mr. Sternat who talked briefly on the Peace Conference, following which he commended Mr. Albert on his years of faithful service and loyalty.

Mr. Albert was presented with a parting gift by his co-workers.

V-Day Services In Emmitsburg Church

Two special services have been planned to be held in the Elias Lutheran church Emmitsburg when V-Day is declared in Europe or the Far East.

Children of the public school will hold a service if V-Day is declared during class sessions. If victory is declared following classes the service will be held the following day.

A service of prayer will be held for residents of the community at 8 o'clock in the evening the day hostilities end.

A special program which has been prepared by a National Service committee, will be used at both services and all pastors of Emmitsburg churches will participate. Prof. A. L. Leary, principal of the Emmitsburg schools, is cooperating in planning the service for the school children.

SCOUTS NEED EQUIPMENT

Members of Boy Scout Troop 79 of St. James Lutheran church will be raising money for troop equipment when they conduct a food sale Saturday, beginning at 6 a. m. in the Stallsmith building, York street. Donations may be left at the building or will be called for by Scoutmaster Glenn Sherman is notified.

FAILED TO STOP

George W. Dayton, Birchardville R. 1, was charged with failing to stop for the red traffic signal at the intersection of Lincoln avenue and Carlisle street in an information filed today before Justice of the Peace John H. Basehore by an officer from the local substation of the state police. Dayton was mailed a 10-day notice.

Upper Communities

The meeting of the O. T. T. club, scheduled to be held this evening at the home of Mrs. Wilmer E. Bream, has been postponed until next Thursday.

Miss Jane Warren will lead the Junior Christian Endeavor society at its meeting Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock at Trinity-Bender's Reformed church. She will have as her subject "Christian Work in War-Torn Lands."

Cpl. and Mrs. Roy Bower and daughter, Beverly, have arrived from Camp Claiborne, Louisiana, for a brief visit with Mrs. Bower's mother, Mrs. M. A. Shue, of Biglerville. They will leave Saturday morning for Fort Belvoir, Virginia, where Cpl. Bower will be stationed for some time.

Mrs. Shue, Mr. and Mrs. Bower and their daughter spent Thursday in York where they visited Mrs. Shue's daughter, Miss Jeanne Shue, a cadet nurse at the York hospital.

The Rev. and Mrs. H. W. Webber have returned to York after a visit with Mrs. Webber's mother, Mrs. George Hoffman, Arendtsville.

Miss Helen Lower, Cynwood, is spending the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Elson G. Lower, Table Rock.

The Rev. and Mrs. Mervin Smith, New Freedom, visited Mr. and Mrs. Elias Hoffman, Arendtsville, this week.

U. S. Delegation Is Puzzled And Angry

San Francisco, April 27 (AP)—Puzzlement and anger spread through the American delegation today over the Russian turn-down of Secretary of State Stettinius as chairman of the United Nations Conference.

Those members inclined to be outspoken show signs of soreness under the diplomatic requirement of restraint in such a situation.

The chairmanship matter came up for talk at a 2-hour session of the delegation late last night. The upshot was a decision for Senators Vandenberg, (R-Mich.), and Connally, (D-Tex.), to attend today's steering committee meeting at which the issue is to be settled.

No compromise was sighted in advance, although Stettinius conferred with some Russians, not including Molotov, in an attempt to reach agreement.

By custom, the foreign minister of the country in which a conference is held presides over it. That's one of those things that diplomats the world over accept as routine. But the Russians differed.

Mrs. Truman Rules Out Press Meetings

Washington, April 27 (AP)—Mrs. Harry S. Truman will not continue Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt's custom of meeting weekly with newsmen.

Announcing yesterday that she plans no news conferences, Mrs. Truman said the women of the press could obtain "facts about the family" today from her personal secretary, Miss Reathel Odum.

It was specified that not more than 12 of the 60 members of Mrs. Roosevelt's press conference association could attend the meeting with Miss Odum.

Shoe Stamp Will Be Valid August 1

Washington, April 27 (AP)—Another shoe stamp will become valid August 1 after a lapse of nine months.

In the meantime, airplane stamps 1, 2 and 3 will continue valid indefinitely.

The number of the new stamp was not announced.

APPROVE AUTHORITY BILL

Harrisburg, April 27 (AP)—A house committee approved a senate bill repealing the general state authority act of 1935 after its outstanding obligations are paid. The commonwealth building agency was created during the depression.

CUT POULTRY SUPPLIES

Wilmington, Del., April 27 (AP)—The poultry supply to civilian consumers in the Delmarva peninsula area will be cut more than 1,000,000 pounds a week by the opening of five new processing plants for the armed forces in the next few weeks, war food administration officials said yesterday.

LETTERS GRANTED

Letters of administration in the estate of the late Cora E. Weikert, Highland township, were granted Thursday at the office of the register and recorder to Harry A. Weikert.

IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Horace "Piney" Bender, 39 Chambersburg street, was reported in a serious condition at the Warner hospital today as the result of a heart attack suffered Wednesday night. He suffered a first attack Monday evening, when he was removed to the hospital.

The teeth of the wolf agree in every structural detail with those of domesticated dogs.

The word "dog" was originally applied to a particular English breed.

BAR HONORS

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Bulleit, in New Guinea; Donald M. Swope, in Germany; and Charles W. Wolf, in England.

In presenting his report, Mr. Meals stated that Edgar K. Markley, stationed in this country, and J. Donald Swope, Esq., of Gettysburg, both of whom were unable to attend the meeting, also have endorsed the reelection of Judge Sheely.

Those present at the dinner, in addition to President Meals and Judge Sheely, included Raymond F. Topper, John P. Butt, Eugene V. Bulleit, Franklin R. Bigham, J. Francis Yake, Jr., and Richard A. Brown, Esqs.

R.C. IS THANKED BY FRENCHMAN

Miss Margaret McMillan executive secretary of the local chapter of the American Red Cross announced today that she had received a communication from a French citizen thanking the local organization for a "gift."

The note was written in French on a French post card and mailed in an envelope. It had been censored twice, once by French authorities and a second time by United States officials.

Although no mention was made in the note of what kind of a gift had been received, Miss McMillan said it probably was a knitted sweater or some other article of clothing which had been shipped overseas with the label of the local chapter attached.

The letter was translated by Mrs. Albert Bachman, local chapter worker, as follows:

"Gentlemen, ladies, I am very grateful to you for the gift I have gotten from you, so much more that we do not find very much around here. Accept my deep thanks and my best wishes.

M. Piriol Herve Lesquqvist"

Honor Pastor At Farewell Party

The Hunterstown Methodist church congregation held a reception for new members and a farewell party for the pastor, the Rev. Earl N. Rowe, Wednesday evening at the Gun club building which was filled to overflowing. The Rev. Mr. Rowe has been transferred to Williamsburg.

Music and games were played and refreshments served.

The Rev. Mr. Rowe was presented a bill fold and a purse of money.

QUERY SENATOR

Wilmington, Del., April 27 (AP)—Two attorneys, representing objectors to a proposed \$15,000,000 settlement between the Pennsylvania railroad and the Pennroad corporation, questioned former U. S. Senator Daniel O. Hastings, a director of the corporation, as to his position in the agreement.

Dispute Over

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Time) session was originally scheduled for another round of speech-making. Instead, the steering committee was called into a second extraordinary—and secret—session to try to break the deadlock over the chairmanship and organize the conference for work.

Another session to which all delegates are invited to hear speeches, was scheduled later (3:30 p. m. PWT). The Big-Pour made their formal talks yesterday.

Talk spread, among delegates that neither the United States nor Britain would yield further to Russian demands for setting up a rotating system for all important chairmanships.

Keynote of Russian Policy

Shortly before midnight last night Stettinius met with several members of the Russian delegation, whose names were not disclosed, trying to reach an agreement assuring success of today's efforts to organize the conference.

In an earlier talk with military and naval advisers, a formula was worked out for setting up international trusteeship for ex-enemy dependent territories.

This provided that strategic base areas should be handled through the proposed security council, as being essential to the armed protection of future peace, and that other trustee territories should be supervised by the general assembly of the world organization, with a primary view to building up living standards of their people.

In his speech yesterday Molotov spoke repeatedly of the new "coalition" of powers growing out of this war, which must take responsibility for preserving world security in the future. He made it plain that Russia intends to be recognized as a leading member of this coalition. To many delegates this sounded the keynote of Russia's international policy.

Stettinius, Soong, Eden

Stettinius reviewed United States policy for world organization and emphasized that one condition of success "is the voluntary cooperation of all peaceful nations, large and small, acting with full respect for the equal sovereignty of each, to

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Soong warned that "we must not leave this conference without achieving the

42,000 MINERS VOTE TO STRIKE IN NEW CRISIS

New York, April 27 (AP) — The United Mine Workers' wage demands in Pennsylvania's Anthracite coal industry were backed today by a strike authorization as contract committees for 65,000 miners continued to report failure in negotiations.

In the coal fields yesterday, nearly 42,000 of John L. Lewis' miners voted to strike in the largest poll ever held by hard coal workers.

Meanwhile, in New York, emergency negotiation sessions were scheduled for the week-end in last-minute efforts to reach agreement before the present contract expires Monday.

The negotiations have limped along since April 4th. Representatives of operators and the union have reported that no agreement has been reached and no union demands have been withdrawn.

Voted to Stop War Production
Lewis, UMW President, gave formal strike notice 30 days ago in conformance with the Smith-Connelly act. The miners voted on the government-ordered question:

"Do you wish to permit an interruption of war production in wartime as a result of this dispute?"

The answer was: "Yes"—41,952; "No"—6,997. Nearly 20,000 others did not vote.

These results were wired to President Truman immediately.

Lewis is seeking a 25 per cent salary increase for the miners and a 10-cent royalty on each ton of coal produced, in addition to other demands.

Many Civil Service Positions Are Open

A number of positions in government service are open at the present time and applications are being received now for examinations for the posts, it was announced today by the U. S. Civil Service commission.

Included are the following positions: graduate nurses with various federal agencies in Pennsylvania and Delaware in anesthesia, general staff duty and psychiatry at \$2,190 per year; editor for compiling, writing or editing material for technical and engineering publications and ordnance manuals at from \$3,163 to \$4,428 per year, in and around Philadelphia; engineering draftsmen to serve in Pennsylvania and Delaware at from \$2,433 to \$3,163 per year; stenographers, typists and clerks at from \$1,752 to \$1,970 per year; as customs guards, and as chief of a social sciences section at \$5,528 per year.

Further information as to qualifications, salaries, experience necessary, and the taking of examinations may be obtained from Arthur W. Warman, local Civil Service board secretary at the Gettysburg post office.

Hunterstown

Hunterstown—Robert King, U. S. Navy, has returned to New York after a five-day visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert King, Charles Klunk and daughter, Doris, and sons, Kenneth and Francis, Hanover, spent Sunday afternoon at the same place.

Sgt. Myrl Taughnibaugh, Norfolk, Virginia, arrived Monday to spend three days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neely Taughnibaugh.

Miss Mary Jane Taughnibaugh, Waynesboro, visited at the same place Monday evening.

Mrs. Annie Graves, Hanover, Miss Ruby Graves and Mrs. Roxie Peters, Tampa, Florida, visited the Misses Margaret and Nina Wolford recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Matthew and family, of Palmyra, spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Margaret Matthew.

Mrs. Gladys Davis is visiting relatives in York this week.

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Pay Raises Unlikely For School Employees

Harrisburg, April 27 (AP)—The House Appropriations committee plans no immediate action on a bill to give non-professional school employees cost-of-living salary increases during the next two years, Chairman Norman Wood, (R-Lancaster), disclosed today.

Wood estimated the measure would cost the Commonwealth \$9,000,000 or \$10,000,000 in the next two years but declined to forecast what decision his committee would make.

The measure, sponsored by Rep. Harold E. Flack, (R-Luzerne), would grant employees receiving less than \$600 annually a \$75 increase; employees up to \$1,000, a \$225 increase; up to \$1,500, a \$200 boost; up to \$1,800, a \$175 jump; up to \$2,000, a \$150 increase and \$2,200 and more annually, a \$125 boost.

The bill received two of three necessary readings in the House before it was referred to the appropriations committee.

PRICES MUST BE FILED WITH OPA

Retailers of clothing, textiles, furniture and house furnishings must stop selling merchandise covered by the new "pricing chart" regulation if they have not filed their charts by May 4, the Harrisburg District Office of Price Administration announced today.

To date 114 retail dealers have filed their pricing charts at the district OPA office, 593 of which had to be returned for corrections.

On or after May 10, retailers who have not received from OPA a letter or postcard acknowledging receipt of their charts, may not sell goods covered by the regulation. A previous OPA announcement merely stated informally that no enforcement action would be taken against retailers who submitted their charts by May 4, but it did not provide an acknowledgment deadline.

May 10 also is the date when all goods covered by the regulation must be priced according to requirements. The district OPA office will not be able to process charts on time if the bulk of them are filed in the last few days before May 4. Since prices must be based on information shown in the charts, retailers are strongly advised to file as soon as charts are completed and not to wait until just before the deadline.

OPA also reminded retailers that goods covered by the regulation and received after May 10 must be properly marked with the words "OPA Price" or "Ceiling Price." However, goods currently in stock or received up to May 10, need not be so marked until August 1.

Thousands Of Allied Prisoners From Nazi Camps

Paris, April 27 (AP)—Freedom has come to thousands of Allied prisoners of war in camps and hospitals in the narrowing gap between the American and Russian armies. Hundreds were plodding westward today to the American lines. Others, ill or otherwise unable to travel, were impatiently awaiting arrival of U. S. Army vehicles to carry them on the first lap of their homeward trip.

A U. S. First Army jeep patrol, in an extended tour eastward yesterday beyond the Mulde river toward the Russian lines along the Elbe, had overrun 11 prisoner of war camps and hospitals.

In two camps alone were more than 50,000 freed prisoners, including 8,600 Americans.

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EXPECT EARLY ADJOURNMENT OF LEGISLATURE

Harrisburg, April 27 (AP)—Apparent settlement of major controversial issues placed the legislature in position today for early adjournment of the 1945 session.

Republican lieutenants paraded into Martin's office after lawmakers went home with expectation that final adjournment would come May 12. The executive had told newsmen he saw no reason for extending the session.

"Last minute changes in plans," Senate President M. Harvey Taylor wired legislators after the adjournment sine die week of April 30 instead of coming back week of May 7. Please make your plans accordingly.

Education Costs Whittled

Paving the way for the quelling signal was a compromise on cost-increasing education legislation which was whittled down to meet demands of Governor Martin.

Assembly education leaders revamped the house approved Hare-Lee bill boosting teacher salaries and state school subsidies so that the increased 1945-47 cost would be held to \$24,000,000 above budget estimates of \$103,000,000.

The house plan provided a \$36,000,000 increase. Martin advised the legislature he would go along with only \$20,000,000.

Retain \$1,400 Minimum

Chairman Frederick L. Homsher of the senate education committee which released the bill for final action said he had assurance of Martin's approval for the latest figure.

Compromise changes retain at \$1,400 the minimum salary for school teachers but lowered the maximum for some classes of instructors. Basis for figuring subsidies were changed from the true or market value of real estate upon which local taxes are levied to the assessed valuation fixed by assessors.

Sen. Paul L. Wagner (R-Schuylkill), education committee member, said the change to assessed valuation "is a tremendous break for rural districts and second class townships," adding "most of the properties in those districts are assessed at 40 to 50 per cent of market value."

Pittsburgh April 27 (AP) — Maj. Clarence C. Klein, administrator of the \$30,000,000 Pittsburgh housing authority, today suggested the construction of 7,500 homes a year as a possible postwar housing goal for the city.

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Striped Cucumber Beetles

The striped cucumber beetle, often called "cuke bug," of melon bug, is the most destructive insect enemy of cucumbers and squashes prevalent in this region. It lives over winter in the adult form, hibernated beneath rubbish in and near gardens. It appears in late April and continues to emerge until early June, attacking small plants of cucurbit crops by gnawing the leaves. The female deposits her eggs in the soil and these hatch into tiny grubs which feed on the roots and main stems at or slightly below the ground level. But perhaps the most important fact for gardeners to remember in relation to this invader is that it carries wilt and other diseases to cucumbers, squashes and cantaloupes.

The adult beetle, when fully grown, measures from one-fifth to one-fourth inch in length and is easily identified by its black head and yellow thorax and wings, with three distinct longitudinal black stripes along its back. The grub or larva measures about a third of an inch in length when grown and is slender, with brownish ends.

All vegetable growers, especially beginners and Victory Gardeners who have had no experience in combatting this dangerous foe, should understand clearly before cucumbers and related cucurbits are started that the striped beetle must be prevented from feeding on the small plants, else serious diseases will be introduced in addition to the direct damages sustained from beetles feeding on the foliage and larvae attacking the roots and basal stems.

Too, beetles may later prevent blossoms from setting cucumbers, squashes and melons by their ravages.

Easy Control Measures
Control measures are numerous and quite simple. Growers with but a few hills of cucumbers and squashes may bar the beetles by covering the young plants with cheesecloth over a frame formed from two halves of a hoop or similar loops of strong wire. These should cross

at right angles above the center of the hill, their ends stuck firmly in the soil. Edges of the covering should be covered with soil to prevent the beetles from gaining entrance there.

Too, there are several effective measures of combat with insecticides, one including Bordeaux mixture which serves to prevent certain common fungus diseases. The first remedy is a dust composed of 1 part (by weight) of calcium arsenate mixed with 15 parts of fine gypsum. This should be applied freely as soon as the plants appear through the ground, coating the leaves, stems and surrounding soil to repel the beetle.

More Information Available
Or a cryolite dust may be used instead, mixed at the rate of 2 pounds of cryolite with 1 pound of talc. Or rotenone may be used in dust form or a nicotine dust. The latter has hte added merit of killing aphids.

After plants are nearing the vine stage of growth, dusting may be stopped and a Bordeaux mixture spray substituted, with calcium arsenate added at the rate of 5 level tablespoons to each gallon. Nicotine sulphate may be added to Bordeaux mixture when aphids are present.

If further information is desired in preparing and applying any of these control remedies, or if other doubtful points exist, readers are invited to write the editor to ask all the questions necessary to plan an effective control campaign against this formidable enemy.

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SUICIDAL JAPS PILOT ROCKET BOMBS AT YANKS

Guam, April 27 (AP)—Airplane-launched rocket bombs piloted by suicidal Japanese are being used in the battle for Okinawa, Adm. Chester W. Nimitz announced today.

Already the erratic, explosive-loaded craft have been labeled "baka bombs," a Japanese word meaning "fool."

The little ships, launched from the underside of bombing plane fuselages, have a wingspan of about 16 feet, are more than 19 feet long, and have an eight-foot tailplane. They resemble tiny, single-seated airplanes. Pilots sit under a teardrop canopy. A warhead of explosives is carried in the nose of each plane as it swoops inaccurately toward a target.

No Chance to Practice
While the baka bombs attain high speeds they are difficult to maneuver, and ships dodge them by evasive action.

Nimitz said a full study of their effectiveness has not been possible since the Japanese thus far have used them in limited numbers.

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Judge Johnson Is Summoned By Jury

Seranton, Pa., April 27 (AP) — Judge Albert W. Johnson, a member of the bench in the U. S. Middle District court, was summoned as a witness yesterday at a closed session of the grand jury investigating "certain matters" in the district.

Judge William F. Smith, Newark, N. J., specially presiding, also issued a call for the March 15 grand jury to reassemble at 10 a. m. next Wednesday. This is the jury which recently indicted Attorney John Memolo on charges of income tax invasion.

Reclamation men in the Quarter-master Corps report a total of 268,099 field jacks monthly in the United States.

NOTE—From time to time, in this space, there will appear an article which we hope will be of interest to our fellow Americans. This is number fourteen of a series

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Just Folks

COMPENSATIONS
Against life's hurt and care,
Earth offers pleasures rare:
Blue sky and blossomy trees,
A softly scented breeze,
The laughter of a brook,
The thrill of line and hook,
The flash of cardinal wing,
And song the thrushes sing.

Not all is grief and harm,
Earth offers much to charm:
A patch of ground to hold
Larkspur and marigold;
Trillium each May, and fern
And tulips in their turn;
Next at the springtime's close
The peony and the rose.

Not all is heartache here,
Good things supply the year:
Moonlight on lake and stream,
Old trees 'neath which to dream,
Wild creatures, wood and sky;
Beauty to catch the eye,
And friendships true to share,
Whatever comes of care.

Today's Talk

APPRECIATION
The longer we live I believe that we appreciate on an increasing scale. Little things done for us grow in importance; friends mean more to us; nature unfolds itself in all its fascinating wonder. We grasp the substance of things to a greater degree, and God's reality hovers like a halo about each of our days.

For us to appreciate is an enriching thing, but so much more is given to us through the appreciation of others. It is so easy for those whom we have served or encouraged to forget and to neglect this appreciation, but if they only knew or realized how it might enrich them, I am sure there would be less of this lack of expressing one's appreciation.

Most of us work to gain some sort of appreciation. No one ever gets so famous or renowned that he doesn't crave recognition and appreciation. All honor, all achievement and all arduous toil toward excellence would be quite futile were it not for the appreciation gained.

I have noted that the bigger a person is the more that person seems to crave and hunger for the appreciation that you would think he least needed. Appreciation is encouragement, and encouragement is ozone to the soul. We couldn't live and work our happiest and best without it.

William Muldoon, the famous athlete of many years ago, once stated that it was wonderful what a response this body of ours gave, after just a little kindness to it. It is the same with appreciation. What a lift it gives to us, and to all those to whom we give it. And it is so easy a thing to give. It can be clothed in so many different ways—a kind and generous word, a letter that isn't expected, some flowers sent on their journey of cheer, or some unusual act that is certain to brighten up the life of one toward whom it is directed.

Appreciation is the essence of the Golden Rule. If we would get anything in this world that is worthy of gaining, we must in turn give, and give to the utmost. It's the appreciation that follows that keeps us going. Let us give it lavishly!

Tomorrow Mr. Adams will talk on the subject: "The Black Goose"

Superforts Bomb Kyushu Airfields
Guam, April 27 (AP)—At medium altitude in good bombing weather, 100 to 150 Superfortresses bombed six southern Kyushu airfields by daylight today.

The fields are staging bases for Japanese aircraft raiding American forces at Okinawa.

It was the second B-29 raid within 24 hours on southern Kyushu.

The grotesque modern buldog is a dwarfed, degenerate type of the mastiff, bred solely to suit the taste of fanciers.

The Almanac
April 28—Sun rises 6:08; sets 7:51.
Moon rises 3:07; sets 7:52.
April 29—Sun rises 6:04; sets 7:52.
Moon rises 10:07 p. m.
MOON PHASES
April 27—Full moon.

Out Of The Past

From the Files of the Star and Sentinel and The Gettysburg Times

FIFTEEN YEARS AGO
Brothers Wed Local Girls at Westminster: Two brothers married Gettysburg girls in Westminster Saturday afternoon in a double ceremony.

Elder E. Smith, the elder brother, married Evelyn S. Shultz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Shultz, while the other brother, Bernard G. Smith married 'Carrie' M. McGlaughlin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McGlaughlin. The brothers are sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Smith, Hanover.

Birth Announcements: Mr. and Mrs. Milton Smith, Breckenridge street, announce the birth of a son at the Annie Warner hospital, Sunday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young, Seminary avenue, at the Warner hospital, Saturday morning.

A daughter was born Friday afternoon at the Warner hospital to Mr. and Mrs. George W. Coshun, Barlow street.

Mr. and Mrs. John Becker, South Washington street, announce the birth of an eight-pound boy at home on Thursday.

Gettysburg Academy Principal Returning: Dr. Charles H. Huber, principal of Gettysburg Academy, and Mrs. Huber, who had been abroad for three months, sailed Friday from Glasgow, Scotland, for New York city, where they will arrive May 3. They are returning to the United States on the steamship Carmania.

Former Gettysburg Man Weds in York: Charles Bender, York, formerly of Gettysburg and Miss Sarah Shirley Spangler, of Carlisle, were married on Saturday afternoon, April 19, at 4 o'clock in York by the Rev. J. B. Baker, pastor of St. Matthew's Lutheran church.

The bridegroom, a son of Mrs. Sallie Bender, York, formerly of Gettysburg, is employed in a drug store there.

The Benders moved to York from Gettysburg last October.

Rasmussen Accepts Call to Washington: The Rev. Dr. Carl C. Rasmussen, pastor of Messiah Lutheran church, Harrisburg, has accepted a call to the pastorate of Luther Place Memorial Lutheran church, Washington, D. C., succeeding the Rev. Dr. George M. Diffenderfer, who resigned recently. The Rev. Dr. Rasmussen is one of the best known Lutheran pastors in this section.

T. Painter Hanson Given Birthday Surprise Party: T. Painter Hanson was the guest of honor at a surprise party in celebration of his sixteenth birthday anniversary at the Hanson home Monday night. Twelve guests attended the dinner given in his honor.

Contracts Fever: Mrs. Fred Faber and daughter Ann, have contracted scarlet fever. The Faber home on East Lincoln avenue has been quarantined.

Local Girl Is Bride: Miss Regina A. Redding, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Redding, West High street, and George Welsh, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Welsh, Lancaster, were married at a nuptial mass at St. Francis Xavier Catholic church Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock, the Rev. Father Mark Stock officiating.

Miss Lindora Roddy was the bridesmaid and Wilbur Redding was best man.

Goldie Bollinger, Merle Weikert Wed: Miss Goldie Elizabeth Bollinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bollinger, Baltimore street and Merle L. Weikert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Weikert, East Middle street, were married at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon at the parsonage of St. James Lutheran church, the Rev. Earl J. Bowman officiating.

The couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rogers, of Pleasantville, New Jersey.

Step-Father Is Brother-in-Law: When Miss Evelyn Ruth McCauslin, Aspers, was married to Lloyd Smith, Gardners, by W. A. Gieselman, clerk of the courts, at his office Thursday afternoon, the bride's step-father became her brother-in-law as well.

After the bride's father, Robert McCauslin died, her mother married George Smith a brother of the bridegroom in Thursday's wedding.

Issue Marriage License: A marriage license was issued at the office of W. A. Gieselman, clerk of the courts, Monday, to Charles Richard Chrimer and Mary Evelyn Groff, both of Mt. Pleasant township.

Personal: Seventy-seven guests attended the bridge luncheon given Monday afternoon at the Blue Parrot tea room by Mrs. H. M. Hartman and her daughter, Miss Catherine Hartman, Springs avenue.

Miss Mary Elizabeth McIlhenny, Lincoln avenue, celebrated her birthday anniversary Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hafer have returned for the summer after spending the winter in El Paso, Tex.

Mrs. Lila Craig, Howard avenue, has returned from Carlisle where she spent the Easter holiday with friends.

John A. Boyd returned to Martinsburg Sunday after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Twisden, East Middle street.

CHURCH SERVICES

IN Gettysburg IN The County

St. James Lutheran
The Rev. R. R. Gresh, pastor.
Sunday school with Luce Day program, and Men's Bible class taught by the Rev. Mr. Gresh at 9:15 a. m.; worship with sermon, "The Source of All Good," at 10:30 a. m.; junior church at 10:30 a. m.; teaching mission conference at 2 and 3:30 p. m.; Junior, High School and Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.; teaching mission conferences at 6:30 p. m.; organ recital by Prof. Richard B. Shade at 8 p. m.; teaching mission convocation with address by Dr. William Cleveland, Harrisburg, at 8:15 p. m. Monday, Girl Scouts at 4 p. m.; Sunday school orchestra rehearsal at 7:30 p. m. Tuesday, choir banquet at 6:30 p. m. followed by monthly meeting of the church council. Wednesday, Women's Missionary society meeting with Mrs. A. A. Kelly and Mrs. Henry Bream, leaders, at 2 p. m.; junior choir rehearsal at 6 p. m.; prayer service at 7:30 p. m.; senior choir rehearsal at 7:30 p. m. Thursday, senior high school choir rehearsal at 7 p. m.; Boy Scouts at 7:30 p. m.

Presbyterian
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; morning worship at 10:45 o'clock with sermon by the Rev. Dr. William F. Quillian of Gettysburg college; Ky-Ro-Nika Fellowship at 2 p. m.; no evening service; meeting of Circle 3 of the Ladies' Guild Monday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Clarence Bristol, 22 West Water street; choir rehearsals, Thursday evening at 6 and 7 o'clock.

Christian Science, Kadel Building
Service with Lesson-Sermon, "Probation After Death," at 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 10:30 a. m. Services the first Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p. m. Reading room open every Thursday from 2 to 4 p. m.

St. Francis Xavier Catholic
The Rev. Mark E. Stock, pastor. Masses Sunday at 7, 9 and 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; sodality meeting at 7 p. m.; Rosary and benediction at 7:30 p. m. Masses Holy days at 5:30, 7:30 and 9 a. m.

Four-square Gospel
The Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Myers, pastors. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 11 a. m.; young people's crusader meeting at 6:30 p. m.; evangelistic service at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, prayer and praise service at 7:45 p. m.

Trinity Evangelical Reformed
The Rev. Howard Schley Fox, pastor. Church school at 9:30 a. m.; divine service at 10:30 a. m. Tuesday, meeting of Trinity Circle at the home of Mrs. John D. Teeter, Springs avenue, at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, Church school board at the parsonage at 8 p. m. Thursday, choir rehearsal at 8 p. m.

Memorial United Brethren
The Rev. Harold V. March, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.; Christ (College) Lutheran

The Rev. Dr. Dwight F. Putman, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon, "The Church in This Critical Hour," at 10:45 a. m.; young people's meeting at 7 p. m. Wednesday, children's choir at 4 p. m.; college choir dinner at 6 p. m.; church council meeting at 7:30 p. m. Thursday, senior choir at 7:30 p. m.

Church of the Brethren
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon by Wayne Peterman, Lutheran Theological seminary student, at 10:30 a. m.

With Our Service Men
Pvt. Robert A. Thomas receives his mail Co. C. 1st Infantry Training Bn., Camp Wheeler, Ga. S. 2/C Kenneth L. Breighner is now receiving his mail in care of the fleet post office at San Francisco, Calif.

Pvt. Joseph L. Kane is now with Hq. Det., Section 1, Camp Blanding, Fla.

Pvt. Wales E. Rightmire is receiving his mail in care of the postmaster at San Francisco, Calif.

Pvt. Charles R. Bennett is receiving his mail in care of the postmaster at New York city.

Pvt. Charles B. Hess, Jr., has been assigned to Battery C, 6th Bn., 2nd P. A. Training Regt., Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Pvt. Carl E. Rexroth is now with Co. C, 226th Inf. Bn., Camp Blanding, Fla.

Huntertown Methodist
The Rev. Earl N. Rowe, pastor. Church school at 2 p. m.; worship with sermon at 3 p. m.

Fairfield Mennonite
The Rev. G. S. Stoneback, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a. m.; worship with sermon at 11 a. m.; worship with film, part three, on the Life of Paul, "The Grace of Forgiveness," at 8 p. m.

Christ Reformed, Littlestown
The Rev. John C. Brumbach, pastor. Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.; Mission Band in the Sunday school room at 10:15 a. m.; worship with sermon, "Taking Away Sin," at 10:15 a. m. followed by choir rehearsal. Wednesday, monthly meetings of the Consistory and the Women's Guild at 7:30 p. m.

St. Ignatius Catholic, Buchanan Valley
The Rev. Daniel J. Crowley, rector. Masses at 8:30 and 10:30 a. m. Mummaburg Mennonite

The Revs. Amos W. Myer and Roy M. Geigley, pastors. Sunday school at 9 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10 a. m.

Great Conewago Presbyterian
Sunday school at 10 a. m.; worship with sermon by the Rev. U. A. Guss at 11 a. m.

Mummaburg Mennonite (Union Church)
The Rev. A. A. Landis, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Upper Meridian Lutheran, Ground Oak
Sunday school at 10 a. m.; worship with sermon at 11 a. m.

Zion Evangelical Lutheran, Fairfield
John C. McCune, II, pastor. Church school at 9:15 a. m.; The

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St. Mary's Catholic, Fairfield
The Rev. Joseph G. Gotwalt, rector. Mass at 9 a. m.; Sunday school at 10 a. m. Week-day mass at 8 a. m. Holy Day masses at 5:30 and 7:30 a. m.

Mt. Zion Lutheran, Goodyear
The Rev. P. J. Horick, pastor. Sunday school at 9 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10 a. m.; young people's meeting at 7:30 p. m.

Elias Lutheran, Emmitsburg
The Rev. Philip Bower, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; The Service with sermon, "World Security," at 10:30 a. m. Wednesday evening annual banquet of St. Francis Xavier American Legion post in the parish hall, served by women of the church. Thursday, Ascension Day service at 10 a. m. Clothing for European relief may be brought to the parish house any time until Wednesday, May 2.

St. Mark's Evangelical Reformed
The Rev. Howard Schley Fox, pastor. Church school at 9:15 a. m. Trinity Evangelical Reformed, Cashtown

The Rev. John H. Ehrhart, pastor. Church school at 9:30 a. m.; youth fellowship at 7:30 p. m.

St. John's Evangelical Reformed, McKnightstown
Church school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m. Meeting of the Willing Workers Sunday school class this evening at 8 o'clock.

Harney Lutheran
The Rev. Dr. W. P. Rex, supply pastor. Worship with sermon, "Our God is Marching On," at 9:15 a. m.; Sunday school at 10:15 a. m.

Mt. Joy Lutheran
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.

Salem United Brethren
The Rev. Harold V. March, pastor. Worship with sermon at 9:15 a. m.; Sunday school at 10:15 a. m.

Forst Lutheran, New Oxford
The Rev. G. E. Sheffer, pastor. Church school at 9:15 a. m.; worship with sermon, "Rebuilding the Walls," at 10:15 a. m.; song service with theme, "True Religion," at 7 p. m.

Methodist, New Oxford
The Rev. Earl N. Rowe, pastor. Church school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.

St. Mary's Catholic, New Oxford
The Rev. Robert D. Hartnett, rector. Masses at 7:30 and 10 a. m.; devotions and benediction at 7:30 p. m.

East Berlin Brethren
The Rev. J. Monroe Danner, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.

Trinity Lutheran, East Berlin
The Rev. Snyder Alleman, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:45 a. m.

Zwingli Reformed, East Berlin
Church school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 7:30 p. m.

Holtzschamm Lutheran
The Rev. Elwood G. Johnson, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.

Church of the Brethren, East Berlin
The Rev. J. Monroe Danner, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.; doctrine and devotions at 7:30 p. m.

Bermudian Church of the Brethren
The Rev. G. W. Harlacher, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; temperance program at 10:30 a. m.

Taneytown United Brethren
The Rev. A. W. Garvin, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.; Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Wednesday, Junior and Intermediate Christian Endeavor at 4 p. m.; Bible study and prayer meeting at 8 p. m.

Barts United Brethren
Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Harney United Brethren
Sunday school at 6:30 p. m.; worship with sermon at 7:30 p. m. Wednesday, community prayer service for service men with Lester Spangler, permanent leader, at 7:45 p. m.

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GOERING GONE AS AIR CHIEF; RUMORS FLYING

London, April 27 (AP)—A German announcement that Reichsmarshal Hermann Goering had resigned as chief of the now-impotent German air force because of "an acute heart condition" was followed today by a Moscow report that he had fled by air to an unknown destination.

The Moscow report asserted the portly Reichsmarshal—who once boasted that the Allies could never bomb Berlin—was said to have taken with him his wife and loot valued at \$20,000,000. The Russians said the Germans doubtless had proclaimed Goering's resignation to hide the fact of his sudden disappearance.

Long ranked as the No. 2 Nazi and heir to Hitler's power, Goering asked Hitler to be "relieved of his command as chief of the Luftwaffe at a time when his strength is needed" and the "Fuehrer has granted his request," a German broadcast said last night.

Report Goering Executed
The radio announcement said he had been replaced by Gen. Ritter von Grein, who was promoted to field marshal. Von Grein once was reported head of the German air force in Russia.

A German general, newly captured by the U. S. Ninth Army, said Goering probably already had been executed.

Many Allied quarters believe Hitler already has taken refuge in his Alpine retreat, but German broadcasts steadily assert that both he and Nazi Propaganda Minister Paul Joseph Goebbels remain in the capital.

ship with sermon by the Rev. Mr. Frazier at 10 a. m.

Bethlehem Lutheran, Bendersville
Sunday school at 10 a. m.; worship with sermon by the Rev. V. F. Frazier at 11 a. m.

Marsh Creek Brethren
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon by the Rev. John Myers at 10:30 a. m.

Friends Grove Brethren
Sunday school at 10 a. m.; worship with sermon by the Rev. B. F. Lightner at 11 a. m.

St. Paul's Reformed, New Oxford
The Rev. D. F. Ehlman, pastor. Worship with sermon, "If We Have No Love," at 9 a. m.; Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Emmanuel Reformed, Abbottstown
Sunday school at 9 a. m.; worship with sermon, "If We Have No Love," at 10:15 a. m.

St. Paul's Lutheran, The Pines
The Rev. Elmer Drumm, pastor. Worship with sermon at 9 a. m.; Sunday school at 10 a. m.

St. Mark's Lutheran, Heidlersburg
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.

St. John's Lutheran, Hampton
Sunday school at 6:30 p. m.; worship with sermon at 7:30 p. m.

Abbottstown Lutheran
The Rev. Snyder Alleman, pastor.

Worship with sermon at 9 a. m.; Sunday school at 10:15 a. m.; Luther league at 6:30 p. m.

St. John's Reformed, New Chester
The Rev. Richard Shaffer, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Emmanuel Reformed, Hampton
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Heidlersburg United Brethren
The Rev. O. A. Kerns, pastor. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.

Idaville United Brethren
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 7:30 p. m.

Mt. Olivet United Brethren
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.; worship with sermon at 10:30 a. m.

Trinity Lutheran, Arendtsville
Church school at 10 a. m.; worship with sermon by the Rev. Paul Gladfelter at 11 a. m.; Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m.; regular council meeting at 7:30 p. m.

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A Better World Must Come
Millions of young men and women have been withdrawn from their homes and careers. Business is shorthanded. Many industries have been seriously disrupted. Public debt and the casualty lists mount higher every hour.

Victory, therefore, is the greatest concern of everybody. After Victory, all of us must strive to build a better world ... a world in which such misfortune can never happen again.

Material things ... radar and plastics and television and giant planes ... will contribute much toward building a better and stronger American people. But these alone are not enough.

Confidence is the first need ... confidence that work brings reward. Such confidence cultivated in a people generates enterprise and effort.

Industry, being part of the people, responds to the same stimulus ... and is ready to initiate and work and invest all for the treasure of life in America.

Youth Must Have Opportunity
The way must be kept clear for independence in business ... and for young men to start new businesses. Vigorous competition and initiative have carried our country safely and far.

American business is not performing its complete function unless it makes available to every family traditional American standards of living. American business also must serve social order and social advance. There is little room for racial or religious prejudice or class distinction when a country is alive with energy and is working.

These are some of the thoughts we hold as we look toward the day when wages will again be earned by building the goods of peace.

Henry Ford
Henry Ford 2

NEW LAW SCHOOL DEAN
Philadelphia, April 27 (AP)—Earl G. Hardison, 46, former U. S. commissioner of immigration and naturalization and now American representative on the intergovernmental committee on refugees, has been named dean of the University of Pennsylvania law school. He will assume his new duties July 1.

Women in your 40's

Do these symptoms Betray your Age?

Do you—like so many women between the ages of 38 and 52—suffer from hot flashes, nervous tension, irritability, are a bit blue at times—due to the functional "middle-age" period peculiar to women?

Then start at once—try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to relieve such symptoms. This great medicine helps nature. Taken regularly—it helps build up resistance against such "middle-age" distress.

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YES, WE HAVE SPRINGFILLED studio couches and sofa-beds, also a beautiful variety of overstuffed springfilled chairs as well as springfilled living room suites as low as \$109.00. York Supply Company, 43 W. Market St., York, Pa.

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FOR SALE: MOTOROLA RADIO; tent; coats and camping equipment. Apply 321 South Washington street, after 4 o'clock.

FOR SALE: ACME DRESSMAKERS dress-form, adjustable with a steel frame skirt, on rollers, easy to move around, size 42 to 48 bust, \$8.00. Mrs. Amos W. Myer, Mummasburg, Pa. Phone 962-R-12.

FOR SALE: UPRIGHT PIANO; extension table; buffet, 231 Baltimore street, second floor.

FOR SALE: PRE-WAR BABY crib, metal springs, inner-spring mattress, practically new. Mrs. Paul Kargas, 68 West Middle street. Phone 126-Y.

USED FURNITURE AND STOVES. See us if you need used or rebuilt furniture, rugs or stoves. Prices reasonable. Trade-In Furniture Exchange, 55 W. Clark Ave., Rear—York Supply Co., York, Pa.

FOR SALE: NEW NO. 40 TRESCOTT combination peach and apple grader, capacity three to four hundred bushels. Bream-Heeb Company, Chambersburg, Pa. Phone 414.

FOR SALE: DRY WOOD, STOVE length, Charles Hess, Fifth street. Phone 38-Y.

FOR SALE: TWO SEWING MACHINES, one Singer, one White; two ladder back porch chairs; porch glider, all in good condition. Adam Bennett, Fairfield.

FOR SALE: MOTOR BIKE, ALSO bicycle. Apply Robert Slaybaugh, Gettysburg R. 3, near Arendtsville.

FOR SALE: PAIR OF GOOD young horses; culpricker and one horse wagon, good as new. Phone Biglerville 137-R-3.

REAL ESTATE

AUSHERMAN BROS. REALTORS M. O. Rice, Repr. Room 2, Kadel Bldg. Res. 785 Baltimore street. Office 161-Y, Residence 182-X.

WANTED TO RENT

WANTED TO RENT: THREE BEDROOM home, furnished. Willing to pay \$150.00 month. Address letter 360 care Times Office.

HELP WANTED

WANTED: MAN OR WOMAN FOR shortorder cook, night work; also woman for cleaning day work. Greyhound Post House. Phone 451.

Markets

Gettysburg-Grain-Eggs

Market prices at the Gettysburg warehouse and the Egg Co-op Association reported daily as follows:

WHEAT	41.75
EGGS—Large	41.75
EGGS—Medium	34.75
Ducks	40.00

Baltimore Fruit-Poultry

APPLES—Mkt. Std. good stock, very dull. Poor stock, 15¢. U.S. 2 1/2¢, min. Md., Va., W. Va., red Delicious. Staymans, \$2.50—3.00, few higher; Yorks, Black Twigs, Stark's, Rome, mostly \$2.50, various varieties, ungrd., best \$1—1.50; poorer, 40—75¢.

LIVE POULTRY

Market firm. Receipts light. Wholesale selling prices (including commissions) in Baltimore: Prices shown reflect sales reported within existing regulations, but do not cover other poultry sold on the market for which prices are not available. ROASTERS, FRYERS AND FOWLERS—Mostly 34¢.

FOWL—All breeds, 30—30 1/2¢.

Baltimore-Livestock

CATTLE—Receipts at the close of the week were extremely light. Trading was active with local and outside buyers bidding freely for the available supply. All slaughter classes fully steady to strong with earlier this week. Choice beef cows, 12—14¢; good beef cows, 11—12¢; low and average beef cows, 10—11¢; with the number offered above \$15.75 very small. Heifer receipts medium to average-good grades at \$12.50—14.00. Medium beef cows largely \$12—13; a few head carrying light fill up to \$13.75; scattered lots of cutter and common, \$8—11.50; canners, \$7—8.50, most sales starting at \$7.50.

No beef bulls offered; good sausage bulls, \$15.50, bulk of the supply, grading cutter, common and medium, \$10—13. Compared with week ago, all slaughter classes fully steady to strong; stockers and feeders very active early in week, fully steady.

CALVES—Good and choice vealers active, steady with Wednesday. Lower grades were very slow with the outlet very limited, sales on a peddling basis. Mixed lots of good and choice, 120—250 pound vealers, \$17 to mainly \$18; common and medium \$11—16, not much offered over \$15; culls around \$9 with some lightweight down to \$6. Compared with week ago, good and choice vealers steady; lower grades very slow, steady.

HOGS—Demand continued to exceed hog receipts, active market; prices unchanged from Wednesday due to culling. Good and choice 120—400 pound hogs, \$14—15, \$15.50, ceiling; good sows, \$14.50, ceiling. Prices based on slaughtered hogs. Compared with week ago, hogs, sows and pigs unchanged.

Sheep—No woolled lambs offered today; receipts, mainly good and choice spring lambs, slow with prices very uneven, compared with earlier this week. A limited number of good and choice 60—80 pound spring lambs, \$20, bulk of the supply, \$18—18.50. Slaughter ewes very scarce, available supply steady with former days this week. Choice lightweight slaughter ewes, \$8, bulk of the supply common to good \$6—7.50. Compared with week ago, fat woolled lambs steady; spring lambs uneven, steady; slaughter ewes unchanged.

FEMALE HELP WANTED

WMC RULING—FEMALE HELP in essential activities may transfer to other essential activities only and must have statement of availability.

HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS WANTED

Third training program for High School Girls, 16 years of age or older, who wish employment for the entire summer vacation.

WILL START

TUESDAY, MAY 1st

Training Hours—

Week Days: 5 to 9 P. M.

Saturdays: Eight Hours

44¢ cents per hour while training

Apply Now to

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No applicants will be considered except under the War Manpower Commission rules.

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WANTED: HOUSEKEEPER HOME with all conveniences in Biglerville. W. C. Weigle.

WANTED: HOUSEKEEPER, Desiring home, will pay salary. Apply 334 South Washington street after 6 p. m.

MALE HELP WANTED

WMC RULING—MALE HELP MAY be hired solely upon USES referral.

LARGE TIRE COMPANY HAS opening for Service manager. Good post-war future. Write P. O. Box 1243, Gettysburg.

WANTED TO BUY

ATTENTION FARMERS. DUE to the heavy number of recent sales we have some excellent customers for farms whom we have not been able to satisfy. We need more farms for sale urgently. Contact our representative, West's Farm Agency, J. C. Bream, Fairfield Road, Gettysburg, Pa.

WANTED: USED CARS, ANY make, any model, will pay highest cash dollar. Get my price before you sell. 20 used cars for sale. Glenn L. Bream, 100 Buford avenue.

WANTED: SMALL FARM WITH good buildings, along hard road near Gettysburg. Moderate price. Write Box "361" Times Office.

WANTED: POULTRY OF ALL kind. Will pay highest price and will call for. R. J. Brendle, 531 South Franklin street, Hanover. Phone 8279.

MISCELLANEOUS

RADIO REPAIRING: ALL MAKES, models, Baker's Battery Service, opposite Post Office.

NOTICE TO OUR PATRONS: DUE to help shortage conditions, we will not be able to load Fertilizer trucks Saturdays until further notice. Thank you for your cooperation. Cycler and Spangler Fertilizer Works, Central Chemical Company.

PIPE AND FITTINGS

Pipe cut to suit your needs. Electric Supplies. Lower's Store. Table Rock, Pa.

WE INSTALL SPOUTING ON houses also roof painting and repairs. C. Stanley Hartman. Phone 950-R-12.

BINGO: KARAS STORE, Thursday and Saturday nights. Chickens, grocery bags and fresh fruit.

RUMMAGE SALE: SATURDAY, April 28, People Cash store. Open at 8 o'clock.

WALL PAPER AND PAPERHANGING. Harry Gilbert.

A LIMITED NUMBER OF SAFE deposit boxes for rent, now available. Biglerville National bank.

500 CARD PARTY EVERY TUESDAY evening 8:30 p. m. Dance every Friday night. Barlow Flax Company, Taneytown road, Route 134.

IF YOU HAVE ANY USED FURNITURE to sell, let us know—we buy and sell all kinds of furniture—Ditzler's Auction, Biglerville.

SPECIAL: HARD AND SOFT shell crabs, crab cakes and turtle soup. Frank Eberhart, Emmitsburg Road.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT: FURNISHED BEDROOM. Apply 450 West Middle street.

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE: Estate of Danner Alice Peters, deceased, late of Huntingtown Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania.

Notice is hereby given that Letters Testamentary upon the estate of the above decedent have been granted unto the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Adams County, Pennsylvania; all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent are requested to make known the same and all persons indebted to said decedent are requested and required to make payment without delay unto the undersigned.

Or to her Attorney, J. Francis Yake, Jr., Gettysburg, Penna.

BLANCHE ELLEN PETERS, Executrix of the Will of Danner Alice Peters, deceased. Whose address is Gardners R. D. 1, Pa.

NOTICE: Estate of Laura Linah Shreds, late of Borough of Gettysburg, Adams County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of the above decedent have been granted unto the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Adams County, Pennsylvania; all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent are requested to make known the same and all persons indebted to said decedent are requested and required to make payment without delay unto the undersigned.

EDITH DITCHBURN, Adm. C.T.A. 157 East Middle Street, Gettysburg, Pa.

Or to William L. Meals, Attorney, Gettysburg, Pa.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS: The County Commissioners of Adams County, Pennsylvania, on May 9, 1945, at ten o'clock (10) A. M. will receive sealed bids for relocating and opening the channel of Opossum Creek in Mowall Township for a distance of 100 feet, more or less, Northwestwardly from the bridge on the public highway leading from State Highway Route 34 to State Highway Route 331, and for a distance of 125 feet, more or less, Southeastwardly from said bridge; and for opening a drainage ditch 100 feet, more or less, and doing other work incidental thereto. Plans, specifications and conditions may be obtained from the County Commissioners' office in the Court House, Gettysburg, Pa.

By order of the Commissioners, GEO. P. TAYLOR, J. ARTHUR BOYD, Q. D. REBERT, County Commissioners.

Attest: Clarence C. Smith, Chief Clerk.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS: The County Commissioners of Adams County, Pennsylvania, on May 9, 1945, at ten o'clock (10) A. M. at their office in the Court House, Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, will receive sealed bids for rebuilding the Northwest Wingwall of the Bridge over Opossum Creek in the Township of Mowall, Adams County, Pennsylvania, and for the public highway leading from State Highway Route 34 to State Highway Route 331, and doing other work incidental thereto. Plans, specifications and conditions may be obtained from the County Commissioners' office in the Court House, Gettysburg, Pa.

By order of the Commissioners, GEO. P. TAYLOR, J. ARTHUR BOYD, Q. D. REBERT, County Commissioners.

Attest: Clarence C. Smith, Chief Clerk.

In the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, State of Pennsylvania, Term, 1944. Martha Felix Adams, vs. Horace Wm. Adams, Defendant. ACTION IN DIVORCE.

MASTER'S NOTICE: To Horace Wm. Adams, Respondent: TAKE NOTICE that the undersigned has been appointed Master in the above styled action by the Court of Common Pleas of Adams County, Pennsylvania, and that for the purpose of fulfilling the duties of his appointment the Master will sit in the Law Library of the Adams County Court House, Baltimore Street, Gettysburg, Pa. on TUESDAY, the 15th day of May, A. D. 1945 at 10:00 o'clock a. m. at which time any person appearing in person, with Counsel and witnesses and you will be heard.

JOHN P. BUTT, Esq., Master.

NOTICE: Estate of Kenneth Eugene Little, late of Casewaga Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Letters of Administration upon the estate of the above decedent have been granted unto the undersigned by the Register of Wills of Adams County, Pennsylvania; all persons having claims or demands against the estate of said decedent are requested to make known the same and all persons indebted to said decedent are requested and required to make payment without delay unto the undersigned.

JOHN J. LITTLE, Administrator of the Estate of Kenneth Eugene Little, deceased. Whose address is: Hanover R. D. 4, Penna.

Or his attorneys, Keith, Bigham & Markley, First National Bank Bldg., Gettysburg, Pa.

The proposed budget of the Gettysburg School District may be examined on school days between the hours of 8:00 a. m. and 5:00 p. m. in the office of the Superintendent in the High School Building, Final adoption May 14, 1945.

M. P. HARTZELL, Secretary.

LEGAL NOTICE: The Board of School Directors of Biglerville Borough have prepared a tentative budget for the school year 1945-1946. This budget may be inspected by any taxpayer of the Borough at the home of the secretary any week-day evening after 6:00 P. M. Budget will be adopted after May 15th, 1945.

WILLIS H. LADY, Sec'y.

FRUITMEN SET

(Continued from Page 1) the fruit trees on hill tops suffered very little, it was reported.

Experts Speak

Following the rate fixing discussion and the reports on the freeze damage, G. L. Zundel and J. O. Pepper, extension specialists from State College, spoke.

Zundel described some adventures of his son who has been fighting in Germany, and compared the fight of the soldier with the fight the growers must put up here to keep up their production. He told the fruitmen they must not relax their efforts in spraying to control the various orchard diseases, and told of methods to prevent scale, leaf rot and other fruit enemies.

Pepper described to the growers the types of insects and insect damage which will be found in the orchards at this time, and gave advice on the proper types of sprays and methods of spray application for this period.

The sprays described were given in two spray information letters mailed to county growers this week by County Farm Agent M. T. Hartman.

A SLIGHT CASE OF Theft

By RUFINUS NEED

AP Newsfeatures

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The apartment stifled her. She had a hysterical feeling she'd have to get out of it for a while before she went to bed or she would never be able to sleep. She had to get better control of herself. Tom had his back to the door, dialing a number on the telephone when she returned to the living room. His voice was low and furtive and Brenda quickly realized he was steering the conversation so that the person on the other end of the line would pick up his cues and do the talking.

"Why all this subterfuge," Brenda thought wearily, as she started to clean up the room. It was all so dreary—so sordid. This silly air of intrigue and mystery Tom was putting around everything he did these days irritated and harassed her. The sooner there was an end to the mockery of their living together, the better it would be for both of them. This sort of thing could not go on.

But she found she was too tired to even attempt to straighten up the living room. A short walk might clear her head, which was now aching so she knew she could not sleep. As she went into the bedroom she picked up the bundle of old newspapers lying on the desk and threw it in the laundry hamper in the bathroom. Tom was still talking on the telephone. While she was in the kitchen he had thrown his soiled bathing suit on the floor. Laying over, she gingerly picked it up and rolled it into a bundle with a disreputable beach robe lying on a bathroom chair. She threw them both on top of the package of old newspapers and then, without a word, walked out of the apartment.

Christopher was in a chair beside Brenda's desk as the closing time gong sounded in the store the next afternoon. The tall young man with his well-brushed brown hair and his faultlessly tailored brown suit, had a surge of energy and driving power about him commensurate with his official position. As he waited for Brenda to finish a telephone call, he was thinking of those days in the store when he never heard a closing gong. Then any excuse was a good reason to be out of the store as much as possible, and yesterday he had checked off nine hours at his desk!

Something new had surely been added, he decided. As Brenda dropped the receiver back on its cradle, long rays of the western sun slanted through the smoky office window and made a lambent flame of her red-gold hair. There was the faintest suggestion of a smile on Christopher's face as he held out his cigarette case with one hand and pointed to her desk clock with the other.

"It's after working hours, so you can smoke—one minute and a half past closing time. I need a smoke myself," he added rudely. "I just had a run-in with Donohue. He got so mad I thought he'd hold me as a special witness—or something." He leaned over and held his lighter for Brenda's cigarette.

"What burns him up is that you were right about Dan and he

wasn't," Brenda said slowly, watching the smoke of her cigarette drift through the close lifeless air of the office. She had never seen the night watchman, but his death had cast its shadow over her work and the sinister outline of that shadow was touching everything that had happened since the night he died.

"That's right. It was the rope that finally proved Dan had been murdered. The laboratory did a good job on that. They found the fibers of the rope were lying in the opposite direction to that of the pulling."

"What does that mean?" "As I understand it, just this. If a person slides down a rope, the fibers will point up on that part of the rope pulled by the murderer because of the contact of the rope with the beam or whatever it is the body hangs on."

"In this case that is what happened. The fibers on the rope were pointing in two opposite directions showing that the rope had been pulled up by the murderer. They chloroformed Dan strangled him,

and then tried to make his death look like suicide."

Suddenly Christopher leaned forward and pounded the desk with his fist.

"That's it—exactly! I never thought of it before—" He exclaimed. "They got the poor fellow right outside of this office. I must have been chloroformed I smelled when I picked up that canvas cover. There was a funny sickish smell. I remember—and those footsteps—we both kept hearing them. . . . Someone came back to see what we were doing." He stopped abruptly and there was a grim, set expression around his mouth.

"Dan was coming to tell me he had seen that fur shipment taken off on the fifth floor," Brenda continued where left off. "He telephoned me when the furs arrived—then he saw the man on the fifth floor taking them off the freight elevator—and he was coming to report the theft to me—or at least to this office."

"You've got it. That's what happened. That's why he was killed. He knew the man!"

Christopher jumped to his feet and began to pace back and forth in the narrow space in front of Brenda's desk, his hands thrust in his coat pockets.

"Donohue better get wise to himself—or he'll land behind the eight ball. Two robberies and a murder in one week in this store. Not so good. Headquarters has already

turned the heat on him. That's why he's after you. He's trying everything."

"I can take it," Brenda smiled briefly. "If he'll just leave me alone during business hours. I want this sale to be a success, and he sat in this office nearly two mortal hours this morning. I can't work while he watches every move I make."

To be continued

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PUBLIC SALE

REAL ESTATE AND HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Saturday, April 28, 1945

At 12 O'clock Noon

On Saturday, April 28, 1945, at 12 o'clock noon, on the PREMISES, The First National Bank of Gettysburg, Administrator of the estate of Mary Jane Rebert, deceased, late of Franklin Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania, will offer at Public Sale the following:

REAL ESTATE

All that tract of land situate in the village of Cashtown, Franklin Township, Adams County, Pennsylvania, along the North side of the Lincoln Highway, described as follows:

BEGINNING at a stone at the edge of the Lincoln Highway, at corner of lands of Shelly Brothers, thence by the edge of said highway, North 56 1/4 degrees West, 91.8 feet to a stone at corner of lands of Chas. Stocklagers; thence by same, North 34 1/2 degrees East, 206.5 feet to a stone; thence by a public alley, North 56 1/4 degrees West, 56 feet to a stone; thence by lands of Shelly Brothers, North 34 1/2 degrees East, 394.5 feet to a stone at lands of Andrew Wisler; thence by same, South 50 1/2 degrees East, 147.8 feet to a stone; thence by land of Shelly Brothers, South 34 1/2 degrees West, 588.9 feet to stone, the place of BEGINNING, CONTAINING one (1) acre and 121.5 perches, neat measure.

This tract of land is improved with a TWO AND ONE-HALF STORY STONE DWELLING HOUSE known as the Mrs. Edward Rebert property, being equipped with electricity and bath.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

The HOUSEHOLD GOODS of Mary Jane Rebert, deceased, will be offered, including sewing machine, stands, clock, tables, plank bottom chairs, mirror, beds, chest of drawers, dresser, pots and pans, corner cupboard, parlor stove, ice box refrigerator, drop-leaf table, dishes, rockers, heatrola, rugs and many other items.

Terms will be made known at time of sale.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF GETTYSBURG,

Administrator of the Estate of Mary Jane Rebert, deceased.

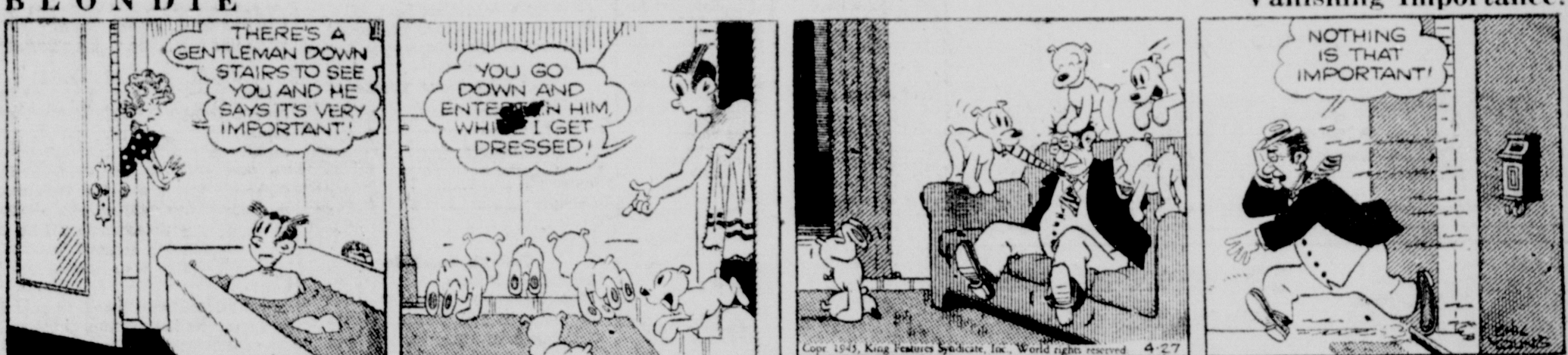
Slaybaugh, Auctioneer.
Keith, Bigham & Markley, Attorneys.

At the same time and place the undersigned will sell ten (10) acres of land, more or less, including five (5) lots fronting on the Lincoln Highway and a tract of nine (9) acres, more or less in the rear thereof, being the larger portion of the tract of land formerly of Magdalena Rebert. The entire tract including the lots will be offered as a whole or the lots will be offered separately. One lot is improved with a two-story frame dwelling.

TERMS: The purchaser or purchasers will pay 20% of their bid in cash and the balance on or before June 1, 1945, when a good and sufficient deed will be delivered for the tract or tracts sold.

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RADIO PROGRAMS

New York, April 27 (AP)—For the major—Major Edward Bowes, veteran of radio and amateur shows—it wasn't too gay an occasion last night via CBS. Goodbyes were said as his retirement from broadcasting became effective.

The major did not appear on the program. His physician had advised otherwise, insisting he forego the possible strain.

An excerpt from the farewell: "Tonight, the listening radio world says au revoir to one of its pioneers. To his millions of friends we know it will be a great loss. To us who have worked with him it will be irreplaceable."

FRIDAY

6:00-News
6:15-Back Stage
6:45-Stella Dallas
7:00-Forensic Jones
7:15-Widder Brown
7:30-Girl Marries
7:45-Portia
8:00-Plain Girl
8:15-Front Page
8:30-News
8:45-Serenade
9:00-Supper Club
9:15-News
9:30-Roth Orch.
9:45-News
10:00-Melody
10:15-Duffy's
10:30-Waita Time
10:45-Funny People
11:00-Amos, Andy
11:15-Portia
11:30-Paul Porter
11:45-News
11:55-R. Harris
12:00-Great Novels

7:00-WOR-422M

4:00-News
4:15-J. Johnson
4:30-Food Fitzgeralds
4:45-Uncle Don
5:00-Superman
5:15-Mystery
5:30-Tom Mix
5:45-P. Schubert
6:00-Dance Orch.
6:15-News
6:30-Sports
6:45-News
7:00-News
7:15-Answer Man
7:30-Keep Ahead
8:00-C. Brown
8:15-Vocalist
8:30-Opportunity
8:45-Heater
9:00-S. Francisco
9:15-Doubt
9:30-Boxing
9:45-News
10:00-Dance Or.

7:00-WJZ-655M

4:00-News
4:15-Tell Me
4:30-News
4:45-Hop Harrigan
5:00-Terry
5:15-Dick Tracy
5:30-J. Armstrong
5:45-Capt. Mid Nt
6:00-News
6:15-Facts
6:30-Whose war?
6:45-Vocalist
7:00-News
7:15-R. Swing
7:30-Lane Ranger
8:00-F. Greer
8:15-Jury Trial
8:30-Spot Hand
8:45-Kaye Orch.
9:00-Docters
9:15-Letter
9:30-News
9:45-News
10:00-Melody

8:00-WABC-675M

4:00-Home Party
4:30-Story
4:45-Penn. Relays
5:00-Service Time
5:15-Tavern
5:30-Wilderness
5:45-News
6:00-News
6:15-Vocalist
6:30-Vocalist
6:45-World Today
7:00-J. Kirkwood
7:15-Gov. Dewey
7:30-Broadway
8:00-Aldrichs
8:15-Thin Man
9:00-I. Pays
9:30-Websters
10:00-J. Durante
10:30-Kaye Show
11:00-News
11:15-Vocalist
11:30-Gray Or.

SATURDAY

6:00-WEAF-454M

8:00-a.m.-News
8:15-Record
8:30-News
8:45-RHendrickson
9:00-Home
9:30-A. Hawley
9:45-Racors
10:00-R. Armstrong
10:30-Vocalist
10:45-News
11:00-Pianos
11:30-Ed McConnell
12:00-News
12:15-Consumer
12:30-Spotlight
1:00-Yet. Guide
1:15-Music
1:30-Baxters
1:45-Telephone
2:00-Musica
2:30-Sports
3:00-Orchestra
4:00-Drake Relays
4:30-E. Culbertson
5:00-Grand Hotel
5:30-News
5:45-Tin Pan

6:00-News
6:15-Ranch
6:45-Religion
7:00-Foreign Policy
7:30-Variety
8:00-Gayeties
8:30-Truth
9:00-Barn Dance
9:30-Top This
10:00-Judy Canova
10:30-Ole Opry
11:00-News
11:15-Talk
11:30-Sgt. Bluestone

7:00-WJZ-655M

8:00 a.m.-Music
8:30-Review
9:00-Bkfst Chd
10:00-Cookin'
11:00-News
11:15-Vocalist
11:30-Betty Moore
11:45-Lois Long
12:00-Duo
12:15-R. Harris
12:30-Home, Garden
1:00-Cantors
1:30-Soldiers
2:00-News
2:15-T. Lynch
2:30-Quiz
3:00-Jazz Concert
3:30-Fitzgeralds
4:00-Concert
5:00-D. Ellington
5:30-Lady
6:00-News
6:15-Sports
6:30-News
6:45-Labor
7:00-News
7:15-L. Stowe
7:30-Your Navy
8:00-Dance Music
8:30-Symphony
9:30-Bands
10:00-Russell Show
10:30-Gray Or.
11:00-News
11:15-Vocalist
11:30-Palmer Orch.

8:00-WABC-675M

8:00-News
8:15-Cook
8:30-Shopping
8:45-M. Arlyn
9:00-News
9:15-Garden Gates
9:30-Journal
10:00-Youth Parade
10:30-Mary Taylor
11:00-News
11:30-Billie Burke
12:00-Playhouse
12:30-Hollywood
1:00-Grand Central
1:30-Report
2:00-Men, Books
2:15-Science
2:30-Hayride
3:00-Bright Land
3:30-Talks
3:45-Jobs
4:00-Penn. Relays
4:15-Report
4:30-Assignment
5:00-Penn. Relays
5:15-Unannounced
5:30-Via America
6:00-News
6:15-Platform
6:45-World Today
7:00-Unannounced
7:30-In the Air
8:00-L. Barrymore
8:30-F.B.I.
9:00-His Parade
9:45-J. Draguette
10:15-A. Peacock
10:45-Talks
11:00-News
11:15-Dance Music

7:00-WOR-422M

8:00 a.m.-News
8:15-Breakfast
8:30-News
9:00-Jamboree
9:30-News
10:00-News
10:15-Rainbow H
11:00-News
11:15-Music
11:30-Hokey Hall
12:00-On Farm
12:30-News
12:45-Answer Man
1:00-Album
1:15-Lopez Orch.
1:30-Adventure
2:00-Wings
2:30-News
2:45-S. Maxted
3:00-Halloran
3:15-L. Jones
4:00-News
4:15-J. Johnson
4:30-Music
4:45-Uncle Don
5:15-Action
5:30-Brooks Or.
5:45-S. Eder
6:00-Newareel
6:30-News
6:45-Sports
7:00-Guest Who?
7:30-Confidentially
7:45-Answer Man
8:00-News
8:15-Dr. Sachar
8:30-Symphony
9:00-Hawaii
9:30-Detectives
10:00-Theater
11:00-News
11:30-Orchestra

MACKMEN DRAW ATTENTION BY DOWNING YANKS

By JACK HAND
(Associated Press Sports Writer)

Connie Mack may have the American league "dark horse" in his Shibe park stable if rookie Hal Peck and the veteran Philadelphia Athletics can hold their early spring form.

Tied for second place with the Yankees, because of a seven-run rally in the fourth inning against New York yesterday, Mr. Mack had reason to think "this might be the year."

Peck's .367 batting average must be pleasant music for the 82-year-old manager who paid a reported \$50,000 cash and players to Milwaukee for the outfielder last fall. The Brooklyn Dodgers turned him down after he shot off a couple of 100 mph snips at bats but a .345 batting average in the American association had all the scouts buzzing around Milwaukee last summer.

2 Hits In Frame

It was Peck who started the big inning yesterday with a single and he followed it with another base hit that drove in the tie-breaking tally next time around.

Walt Dubiel had a shutout until the uprising when he gave way to Al Gettel but starter Jesse Flores of the A's wasn't around to get the benefit, having departed in a Yankee surge in the top half of the same frame. Jittery Joe Berry finished up with a neat relief job, yielding only one single in the last five heats to protect the A's 7-5 lead.

With Buddy Hall enjoying a hot spree, Frankie Hayes off to a good start and Russ Christopher, Don Black and Bobo Newsom in winning form, the A's rate a second look.

The St. Louis Browns showed signs of their 1944 stuff as Nels Potter pitched and batted his way to a 4-3 edge over Cleveland in the first of a scheduled doubleheader. The second tilt was rained out. It was Potter's first victory and Vern Stephens celebrated with his initial homer.

Boston dropped its seventh straight to Washington, 4-1, in a game witnessed by newly-elected Commissioner A. B. (Happy) Chandler. Johnny Niggeling did the honors for the Senators, scattering 10 hits and chiming in with a double and single.

Mel Ott continued to get top grade pitching from his New York Giants staff, this time from Harry Feldman who spun a five-hit shutout in stopping the Phillies, 2-0. Ott's double produced one run and Ernie Lombardi's third homer of the year just made the left field stands for the other to spell defeat for Charley Schanz.

Cold weather caused postponement of the Brooklyn-Boston and Chicago-Cincinnati games in the National and the Detroit-Chicago tilt in the American. Pittsburgh and St. Louis were not scheduled.

BASEBALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Thursday's Results

New York 2, Phillies 0.
Brooklyn at Boston, postponed.
Chicago at Cincinnati, postponed.
Only games scheduled.

Standing of the Teams

New York	7	2	378
Chicago	5	2	714
St. Louis	3	2	600
Boston	4	4	500
Cincinnati	3	4	429
Brooklyn	3	4	429
Pittsburgh	2	5	286
Phillies	2	6	250

Today's Schedule

Phillies at Boston.
New York at Brooklyn.
St. Louis at Cincinnati.
Pittsburgh at Chicago.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Thursday's Results

Athletics 7, New York 6.
Washington 4, Boston 1.
St. Louis 4, Cleveland 3, 1st game.
St. Louis-Cleveland, 2nd game postponed.
Detroit at Chicago, postponed.

Standing of the Teams

Chicago	5	0	1,000
Athletics	5	2	714
New York	5	2	714
Detroit	4	2	667
Washington	4	3	571
St. Louis	2	5	286
Cleveland	1	5	167
Boston	0	7	000

Today's Schedule

Boston at Philadelphia.
Detroit at Cleveland.
Washington at New York.
Only games scheduled.

MINOR LEAGUE RESULTS
(By The Associated Press)

International League

Jersey City, 7, Montreal, 1.
Newark, 8, Buffalo, 7.
Toronto at Syracuse, wet grounds.
Rochester at Baltimore, (night), rain.

American Association
All games postponed.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT
(By The Associated Press)

Fall River, Mass.—Steve Kronis, 130, Boston, outpointed Oscar St. Pierre, 135, Fall River, (10); Johnny Melio, 188, Worcester, TKO George Bode, 186, Newport, R. I., (2).

Philadelphia—Sante Bucca, 140, Philadelphia, outpointed Pat Patucci, 142, Port Norris, N. J., (8); Charles Howley, 146, Chester, outpointed Ernie Frazier, 144, Philadelphia (6).

Game Postponed Until Saturday

Wet grounds and threatening weather caused the postponement of the Gettysburg college-F, and M. baseball game scheduled to be played Thursday afternoon at Lancaster.

The game has been re-scheduled for Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Sports Roundup

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.
New York, April 27 (AP)—Best reason advanced so far for the resumption of the Kentucky Derby this year is reported by Earl Ruby of the Louisville Courier-Journal. . . . Lt. Joe Miller, now stationed in India, wrote Col. Matt Winn explaining that he and Mrs. Miller had been married the day Omaha won—in 1935—and had celebrated their anniversary at the Derby each year since then. . . . So would the colonel please proclaim a Derby day, race or no race, so they'd know when to celebrate their tenth anniversary. . . . The American league has 675 movie prints in circulation throughout the world, mostly for the benefit of service men. . . . No sooner had Ike Williams been crowned N.B.A. lightweight champ than the twice-retired Sammy Angott announced another comeback. But he'll only fight as a welterweight.

JULEP TIME

With two native Kentuckians, Senator Happy Chandler, of Corydon, and Judge William G. Bramham, who was born in Hopkinsville, running the baseball show, the national game should be in position to make a mint.

SHORTS AND SHELLS

One thing holding up the Indians' deals to dispose of Jeff Heath is that Roger Peckinpaugh, who does the trading, can't make up his mind about what he wants. . . . San Francisco isn't the only California spot feeling the effects of that fixed fight mess. A boxer now operating around Los Angeles reports: "Every fight I've had here the gamblers have wanted to know if I was doing business. I told them, 'When I box, everyone concerned gets a run for their money, even the gamblers, as I go out to win.' . . . 'Official Baseball,' due on the stands by the end of the month, will include 1943 averages, which it couldn't publish last year because of the paper shortage.

Interstate League Start Is Delayed

(By The Associated Press)

Home sites for the opening games of the Interstate baseball league were shifted today after rain forced two successive postponements of inaugural tilts in Pennsylvania.

The 140-game schedule was scheduled to get under way Wednesday and again yesterday but a heavy downpour interfered.

Allentown, York and Lancaster now travel out of the state to play the first 1945 games.

Tonight's Schedule

Allentown at Hagerstown.
York at Wilmington.
Lancaster at Trenton.

COUNTIAN WHO IS

(Continued from Page 1)

mally presented to your son at this time," General Ulio's letter continues, "the decoration will be presented to you. The Silver Star will be forwarded to the Commanding General Third Service Command, Baltimore, who will select an officer to make the presentation. The officer selected will communicate with you concerning your wishes in the matter."

T-5 Griffin was listed as missing in action in Holland on October 29, thirteen days after the act of valor for which he has been decorated. In late February a letter written by him revealed that he was a prisoner of the Germans.

The New Oxford soldier entered the service in February, 1942. He trained at Camp Polk, La., and later was on maneuvers in California. He was then sent to Fort Benning, Ga., and went overseas last June.

51ST ANNUAL PENN RELAYS START TODAY

Philadelphia, April 27 (AP)—The 51st annual Penn Relay Carnival gets under way today with approximately 2,000 athletes trying to spike records in the cinder paths at Franklin field.

It's no longer a civilian affair—competitors as well as spectators will include hundreds of servicemen and ex-servicemen.

From 2 p. m. today until 5:30 p. m. tomorrow, representatives of high schools, preparatory schools, colleges, Army camps and Naval stations will vie in the relay races.

The entry list is touched with a decided Swedish flavor—Gunder Haegg in a mile handicap tomorrow and Haakon Lidman in the hurdles this afternoon.

Schoolboy Events

In six championship scholastic events, schoolboy runners loom as an outstanding relay feature. First school championship on the program is the preparatory school 440-yard relay followed with the high school 440, highlight of the two-day program with an entry of 76 schools.

Older athletes, with records already to their credit, who have entered the relays are: New York Coast Guardsman Eulace Peacock, national sprint and broad jump champion at Temple University as far back as 1935 and still the U. S. pentathlon king; Camp Kilmer's Cpl. Norwood (Barney) Ewell, three years ago the intercollegiate sprint and broad jump king at Penn State college; Navy Lt. (jg) Ganti W. Miller, Rocky Mountain conference star of a half dozen years ago, who, as an ensign, won the Penn Relay hammer throw in 1944.

Ewell, like Miller, hopes to repeat a 1944 triumph in the broad jump tomorrow when he'll be opposed by a group that includes past-winner Peacock, Villanova's Burt Cox, Penn's Skipper Minisi and Cornell's Paul Robeson, Jr.

League Leaders

(By The Associated Press)

National League

Batting—Holmes, Boston, .441.
Runs—Ott, New York, 11.
Runs batted in—Lombardi, New York, 14.
Hits—Holmes, Boston, 15.
Doubles—McCormick, Cincinnati, 4.
Triples—Eleven players tied with 1.
Home Runs—Weintraub and Lombardi, New York and Nieman, Boston, 3.
Stolen bases—Barrett, Pittsburgh, 3.
Pitching—Voiselle, Hansen, and Feldman, New York, Derringer, Chicago, and Davis, Brooklyn, 2-0.

American League

Batting—Mayo, Detroit, .458.
Runs—Stirnweiss, New York, Case, Washington, and Mayo, Detroit, 7.
Runs batted in—Ettan, New York, 9.
Hits—Hall, Philadelphia, 12.
Doubles—Byrnes, St. Louis, 5.
Triples—Thirteen players tied with 1.
Home runs—Hayes, Philadelphia, and Derry, New York, 2.
Stolen bases—Case, Washington, 3.
Pitching—Trout, Detroit, Borowy, New York, and Christopher, Philadelphia, 2-0.

The mastiff dog has altered in no important particular from several centuries B. C. to the present time.

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JURORS AGAIN SUGGEST NEW COUNTY JAIL

Following numerous similar actions in the past, the April grand jury recommended last Thursday afternoon that the county have the benefit of a new jail and commended the "excellent condition" of the county home.

After making the first such inspection trip of the county jail and home in a year, the jury returned to the court house and was dismissed by Judge W. C. Sheely. Along with its finding that the construction of a new jail should be undertaken as soon as possible, the jurors also recommended that the commissioners endeavor to keep the present jail in as good condition as possible while it remains necessary to use it.

Commend Stewards

Also included in the short report on the county home was the finding that the stewards are doing a very good job. Warren C. Bushey, Biglerville R. 2, was the jury foreman.

Before beginning its inspection trip, the jury returned a true bill against Lyle V. Anderson, of East Berlin, who was charged by a member of the local substation of state police with failing to give his name and address at the scene of an accident. The court also confirmed and approved the distribution in several accounts of estates Thursday afternoon.

Action Is Settled

Four desertion and non-support cases were heard this morning and two more were settled with the consent of court. One action settled was that Gladys Bretzman, York Springs R. 2, had brought against her husband, Ralph W. Bretzman, District Attorney J. Francis Yake, Jr., told the court that the charges had been filed when Mrs. Bretzman "got excited" after her husband went on a two-day fishing trip. The couple did not separate, however.

The second case settled was that of Susan Rohrbach against Earl Rohrbach, Straban township. Although the case was listed for a hearing on Friday, the couple was not in court when it convened and a process was issued for the sheriff to bring Rohrbach into court. After hearing that the action had been settled, the court ordered Rohrbach to pay all of the costs involved.

Following one of the longest non-support hearings held in the court in some time, Nelson A. Wolf, Abbotstown R. 1, was ordered to pay \$50 per week for the support of his wife and enter into his own recognition to comply with the order. He also was directed to pay the costs.

Other Decisions

A second hearing brought an order for Lee Brock, Gettysburg R. 3, to pay \$750 per week to Onile Brock, for the support of the couple's child. Brock also was directed to enter into \$500 bond and pay the costs.

Arnold Stottlemeyer, Littlestown R. 1, was ordered to pay \$12 per week for the support of his wife and child. A process returnable Friday against Earl Dayhoff, Reedsville, for being in arrears with support payments was continued two weeks.

George Kondrat, York Springs R. 2, was ordered to enter into a bond of \$1,000 to pay the costs and keep the peace following a hearing on a surety of the peace charge. The case was brought by Harry E. Trostle, a neighbor, who accused Kondrat of striking him (Trostle) and making threats against his life.

Two petitions for parole were turned down by the court. Donald Cooley, Arendtsville, who is serving a term for forging a note on the Arendtsville bank had his petition continued to May 21. A second petition by Cletus Smith, McSherrystown, was denied and Smith also was returned to jail. He is serving a sentence for contributing to the delinquency of a minor.

Before beginning the desertion cases, the court ordered the civil suit of Harry E. Jacobs against Margaret G. Shindedecker in an action in replevin continued to the next term. The action was taken following agreement between the attorneys in the case.

Emmitsburg Veteran At Barksdale Field

Sgt. John W. C. Keilholtz, Emmitsburg, is now at Barksdale Field, Fla., where he is a radio mechanic at the Third Air Force B-29 Superfortress base.

Sgt. Keilholtz wears the Good Conduct ribbon, American Defense, E.T.O. ribbon, with three bronze stars and Pacific theater ribbon.

Former Countian Decorated, Cited

Cbrad W. Leber, Radioman 3/C, 20-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Leber, of East Orange, N. J., former residents of Buchanan Valley, has been awarded the air medal and AAF citation for 31 missions in the South Pacific. He has participated in six major engagements.

Young Leber attended Strausbaugh's school and the Arendtsville high school. The family moved to New Jersey about 2 years ago. The youth's mother is a sister of Mrs. Frank Dillon and a daughter of Mrs. Frank Baker, both of Buchanan Valley.

According to the citation Young Leber, last October 25, "prevented enemy fighters from attacking effectively by using his free guns." He has seen action in the Bonins, Marianas, Carolines, Nansel and the Philippines.

He is an instructor at an air base in North Carolina.

PVT. C. WARNER WOUNDED AGAIN ON REICH FRONT

Pvt. Clarence M. Warner, 20, son of William E. Warner, York Springs R. 1, was wounded in action in Germany for the second time April 3, his father was notified by the War department telegram last Thursday night.

Mr. Warner previously had received a card from an Army base hospital informing him that his son was "making normal progress" and that he had suffered a wound in the right elbow.

Private Warner was wounded in the right thigh January 10 in Germany. His father had not been informed of the date on which the soldier had returned to action with his outfit. Private Warner was serving with a tank corps.

2 Sons In Service

He was inducted into the Army at New Cumberland in June 1943, and trained at Fort Knox, Ky., before going overseas in March, 1944. He was in England before going through France and Belgium and into Germany last year.

The wounded soldier attended the York Springs high school and before entering the service was employed by the Strayer and Lefever stone quarry near Dillsburg.

Mr. Warner has a second son in the service. He is Cpl. Boyd E. Warner, 27, who lived in Waynesboro before entering the service. Corporal Warner is now serving with a motorized unit in Germany.

TWO SOLDIERS GIVEN CLUSTERS

An Eighth Air Force Bomber Station, England, (By Mail) — For "meritorious achievement" while participating in bomber combat operations over Germany and enemy occupied Europe, Sergeant Richard E. Doersom, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Doersom, Gettysburg, has been awarded the Leaf Cluster to his previously won Air Medal, it was announced by the Commanding General, First Air Division.

Sgt. Doersom, engineer on a B-17 Flying Fortress, is a member of the 91st Bombardment Group, veteran heavy bomber unit of more than two and one half years service in the European Theater of Operations. This group, commanded by Colonel Henry W. Terry, of Ossining, N. Y., is the combat home of such famous forts as the "Memphis Belle" and was the first group to complete 100 daylight high altitude bombing missions from this theater. Sgt. Doersom recently took part in the group's 315th aerial assault.

Sgt. Doersom graduated in 1942 from Gettysburg high school. Prior to joining the Air Force in 1943, he was employed by his father as an auto mechanic.

An Eighth Air Force Bomber Station, England, (By Mail) — Staff Sergeant Samuel B. Weaver, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Galt Weaver, Gettysburg R. 1, has been awarded the Oak Leaf Cluster to the Air Medal for "meritorious achievement" during Eighth Air Force bombing attacks on German military and industrial installations.

The B-17 Flying Fortress aerial gunner is a member of the 493rd Bombardment Group. The group is a unit of the Third Air Division, recently cited by the President for its England to Africa shuttle bombing of Messerschmitt aircraft plants at Regensburg, Germany.

Sgt. Weaver graduated from Gettysburg high school before entering the AAF in October, 1943. He was trained in aerial gunnery at Harlingen, Texas, where he received his wings in July, 1944.

JIM M'ILHENNY IS KILLED ON WESTERN FRONT

Pfc. James H. McIlhenny, 33-year-old son of Mrs. Hugh M. McIlhenny, Gettysburg, who had been "missing in action in Germany" since March 22, was killed on that date, a War Department telegram disclosed on Friday morning.

Pfc. McIlhenny, who entered service less than a year ago, had served on the Western Front with an infantry regiment of General Patch's Seventh Army since the middle of January. He was assigned to a rifle company. His last letter was written March 15, the day the Seventh began its drive through the Siegfried line.

He was born in Gettysburg, August 26, 1911, but for the last 20



PFC. J. H. McILHENNY

years had lived on the McIlhenny farm in Straban township. He was a graduate of Gettysburg high school in the class of 1928 and graduated from Gettysburg college in 1932. Part of his college work was done at George Washington university, Washington, D. C.

Entered Service in May, 1944

After graduation he worked as a chemist in the C. H. Musselman plant laboratory at Biglerville, as a meteorologist at the Pittsburgh airport and then for five years as a chemist at the Bureau of Standards in Washington before he returned home in 1942 to manage his late father's farm, immediately before and for a year and a half after Mr. McIlhenny's death in September, 1942.

He volunteered for induction last spring and was inducted at Washington on May 5, 1944. He took basic infantry training at Camp Blanding, Fla., and early in November went overseas from Fort Meade. He spent about six months in a replacement center in Italy before being moved to the Western Front.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Emma J. (Coban) McIlhenny, and an older brother, Hugh C. McIlhenny, Harrisburg road.

He was a member of the Gettysburg Presbyterian church and was a member of the board of trustees of the church.

MINISTERIUM HOLDS MEETING

Members of the Adams County Ministerium held a regular meeting Monday at St. Paul's Evangelical Reformed church, New Oxford, the Rev. Dobbs F. Ehlman, pastor. The Rev. Kenneth James, Littlestown, vice president, presided.

Reports were made on the observance, April 22, as a day of prayer for the San Francisco conference. The county group at a previous meeting had suggested Sunday as a day of prayer for the conference and submitted its recommendation to the Pennsylvania State Council of Churches. The state council adopted the plan and forwarded it to churches throughout the state. Later the Federal Council of Churches asked for all churches in the nation to hold special services.

A survey of county churches revealed that approximately one-third followed the proposal. An order of service for the day had been outlined by a committee of the ministerium.

A motion was passed urging representatives to support the Fair Employment Practices Bill now before the Legislature at Harrisburg. Dinner was served at the Cross Keys diner. The Rev. Howard Sheely, Hanover, led a conference on "Pastoral Visitation of the Sick."

The next meeting will be held in June and will take the form of an out-door affair.

With Our Service Men

First Lieut. Sidney C. Donaldson is now receiving his mail in care of the postmaster at New York city.

Sgt. George H. Duttera is receiving his mail 55th S. A. W. Det., Camp Pinedale, Fresno, Cal.

S. 1-c Charles E. Fetrow is receiving his mail in care of the fleet postoffice at New Orleans, La.

Pvt. Robert DaRone receives his mail Hq. and Base Service Squadron, 360th Air Service Group, Smoky Hill AAF, Salina, Kan.

S. 2-c Edward W. Feeser is receiving his mail Barracks 37, Co. 55, Platoon 1, Naval Tech. Training Center, Memphis, 15, Tenn.

Pvt. Robert E. Fox is now with Co. C, Regiment 191, Platoon 60, Camp Blanding, Fla.

Sgt. Henry W. Redding has been transferred to Camp Stoneman, Cal. S. 2/C Walter A. Keeney, Jr., receives his mail Barracks 37, Co. 55, Platoon 1, Recruit Training Unit, Naval Air Technical Training Center, Memphis, 15, Tenn.

Pvt. Wayne Aspers is receiving his mail at Ft. Meade, Md.

Pfc. Donald G. Oyler receives his mail 9201 TSU—TC, TC Detachment 11, NYPE, Barracks 1404, Camp Kilmer, N. J.

F 2/c Paul G. Haller is receiving his mail in care of the fleet post office at San Francisco, Cal.

Pvt. Henry E. Riley, Gettysburg R. 3, has been assigned to Battery E, 11th Bn., 4th F A Training Regt., Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Pvt. Robert C. Shultz receives his mail B-6-2, FARTC, Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Pvt. Olden H. Shultz is receiving his mail in care of the postmaster at San Francisco, Cal.

Pvt. Garland W. Baker is receiving his mail Co. C, 226 Bn., ITB, Camp Blanding, Fla.

Pvt. Paul Butt receives his mail Co. C, 16 Bn., 5th Regt., IRTC, Camp Gordon, Ga.

Pvt. Paul J. Osborn is receiving his mail in care of the postmaster at New York city.

Pvt. John C. Marquet and Pfc. Kenneth R. Slonaker are also receiving their mail in care of the postmaster at New York.

Pvt. Leroy L. Ellicker now receives his mail in care of the postmaster at San Francisco, Cal.

Pvt. Fred L. Funkhouser is now receiving his mail ASFTC, Camp Blanche, La.

Sgt. Orlo J. Plank now receives his mail Squadron C-4, KAAF, Kingman, Ariz.

Pvt. Donald F. Crone is now with Co. B, 6th ITB, Camp Wheeler, Ga.

Flight Officer Arthur S. Cunningham is receiving his mail in care of the postmaster at New York City.

Pvt. Russell G. McDannell is now with Co. C, 226th ITB, Camp Blanding, Fla.

Pvt. Dale E. Deardorff receives his mail 1378 SCU, MP Det., Harrisburg, Pa.

Pvt. Robert C. Shultz receives his mail B-6-2, FARTC, Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Countian Awarded \$400 By York Jury

A verdict for \$400 was awarded to Levere Otis Gladfelter, Biglerville, by a jury in Judge Walter I. Anderson's court at York Tuesday afternoon in his suit against Joseph Kimmel, Dillsburg R. 2. On Nov. 19, 1943 a heifer belonging to Kimmel, which had gotten onto the highway, near Franklinton, was struck by a truck-trailer loaded with coal and operated by Gladfelter. The latter then brought suit against Kimmel to recover for losses which he suffered. Kimmel in turn sued Gladfelter to recover damages as a result of the striking of the heifer. In the latter suit the jury did not allow anything for Kimmel, returning a verdict in favor of Gladfelter.

The cross-suits went to trial before a jury on Monday and the trial was completed Tuesday morning, the jury retiring at 12:55 p. m. At 3:10 p. m. the verdicts were returned as stated.

CAPT. HANSON INSPECTS NAZI 'HORROR' CAMP

The reaction one undergoes following an inspection of one of the German concentration and horror camps is described in a letter mailed by Capt. Robert D. Hanson, who is serving in Germany with the 8th Division of General Patton's Third Army, to his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Henry W. A. Hanson, college campus.

Dr. and Mrs. Hanson believe that the concentration camp of which their son spoke in his letter is located outside of Weimar, Germany, which was captured recently by the 8th Division. The Weimar prison camp was listed as one of the main points on the tour which General Eisenhower last week invited 12 congressmen and 12 of the country's newspaper editors to take.

"Man's Inhumanity to Man" Captain Hanson's letter was dated April 10, and read in part as follows:

"Today I saw a German concentration camp. One thing struck me most forcefully. It was the memory of an old saying that the most amazing thing in life was 'Man's inhumanity to man.' Remember the words of the song, 'This is worth fighting for?' Well that camp is worth fighting against. I remember how as a somewhat innocent college student I marvelled at the progress mankind had made since the Dark Ages—here it is again and it is a fearful dark picture.

"After seeing this camp I have made up my mind that my officer's uniform is going to continue to reside in my closet to be used by me as long as I am able to bear arms and fight for 'Eternal vigilance is the price of freedom.' Soon our armies will have placed that godless Hitler by the side of others like him who down through the ages have brought torture and heartache to so many."

RECEIVES PROMOTION

Donald Kepner, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kepner, Fairfield R. 2, has been promoted to private first class. Pfc. Kepner is serving with an infantry outfit in Germany. He went overseas last January.

COUNTIAN HURT WHEN TRUCK OF APPLES UPSETS

Cletus Plank, Biglerville R. 2, was a patient in the Chambersburg hospital today as the result of an accident in which the trailer-tractor truck he was driving left the road and overturned one mile east of Caledonia Friday morning.

State police from the local substation reported today that Plank was hauling a load of apples from Gettysburg to the Knoose plant at Chambersburg when the accident occurred. Police said that Plank left the road after he pulled over to avoid striking a second truck, loaded with ice, driven by Ellis H. Brooks, of Fayetteville R. 1, which drove onto the road.

Plank tried to go around the ice truck driven by Brooks and went off the left side of the highway, police said. The Plank truck broke a telephone pole, continued for about 75 feet and then overturned. After rolling over the truck came to rest on its right side.

Damage was estimated at about \$800. The ice truck was not damaged. Plank was taken to the Chambersburg hospital by a passing motorist.

He was treated for lacerations of the scalp, abrasions of the left shoulder and contusions to the right leg below the knee.

No charges have been filed as yet and the officers were continuing their investigation into the accident today.

NEW PASTOR AT LOCAL CHURCH

The Rev. Floyd A. Carroll, pastor of the Duncannon Methodist church for the last several years, was transferred to the Gettysburg church pastorate at the Methodist conference of Central Pennsylvania which closed a four-day session at Williamsport Sunday.

Two other pastoral changes were announced for Adams county. The Rev. W. J. Cummings was ordered transferred from Littlestown to Duncannon, and the Rev. G. D. Kreps, pastor of the James Street church, Altoona, was appointed the new pastor at York Springs, Hunt-erstown and New Oxford.

The Rev. Earl N. Rowe, pastor of the York Springs-Hunterstown-New Oxford charge, has been transferred to Williamsburg.

The Rev. Robert H. Sheehan, pastor of the Hustontown Methodist church, has been appointed pastor of Centenary Methodist church, Littlestown, by Bishop Charles W. Flint. The Rev. Mr. Sheehan is a student at Westminster Theological seminary.

Pvt. Donald Kane Wounded 2nd Time

Pvt. Donald Kane, son of Lewis Kane, Baltimore, formerly of Gettysburg R. 2, was slightly wounded in action in Germany on April 5, according to a telegram received from the War Department Tuesday.

Private Kane, who is serving with an infantry outfit, was wounded August 8, 1944, in France.

ACQUIT BRENT IN ASSAULT CASE; SAUBLE GUILTY

Logan M. Brent, Jr., Gettysburg R. 3, was acquitted by a jury Monday afternoon of an assault and battery charge brought as the result of an attack on a young woman in Gettysburg the night of February 14.

The jury of 10 men and two women returned their verdict not guilty after nearly two hours deliberation and ordered the county to pay the costs in the case, accepting the testimony of witnesses called by defense counsel, John P. Butt, Esq., who testified Brent was at his home the night of the attack. Commonwealth witnesses had identified Brent as the attacker.

The jury impaneled for the case included Lloyd Hoffman, East Berlin; John Heinkel, Jr., York Springs R. 1; John Trostle, Gettysburg R. 1; Edward Hawk, Littlestown; William H. Tresler, Littlestown; Mrs. Bertha Keefe, New Oxford; William White, Jr., Fairfield; Mrs. Kathryn Winand, East Berlin; Clyde Allison, Arendtsville; Jonas Flemming, Gettysburg R. 3; Raymond Wetzel, Orrtanna R. 2, and Curtis H. Smith, Hanover R. 4.

A second jury, however, returned verdicts of guilty in two serious charges which had been brought against Ervin A. Sauble, New Oxford R. 2, by Ethel R. Melhorn, Orrtanna. That jury was out only 20 minutes.

One Civil Trial

With the returning of those verdicts, the April term of criminal court closed Monday afternoon. While there were originally four cases for trial, two of the defendants entered pleas of nolle contendere before their trials began. They were Lyle V. Anderson, East Berlin, who was charged with failing to reveal his identity at the scene of an accident, and Paul Chronister, Jr., of Hampton, charged with malicious mischief.

There was no session of court on Tuesday.

The jury in the Melhorn-Sauble case included Claire H. Trostle, Littlestown R. 1; J. Kermit Heretere, Gettysburg; Wilmer Lady, Biglerville; Mrs. Cora Strausbaugh, Gettysburg R. 3; E. P. Bigelow, Littlestown R. 2; Elvin Patterson, Gettysburg R. 1; Frank Pitzer, Gettysburg; Henry E. Waiman, Littlestown; Mrs. Eva E. Bower, Gettysburg R. 3; Miss Irene Roland, East Berlin; Mrs. E. Mae Meales, Gettysburg, and Russell Myers, New Oxford R. 1.

FOUR HURT IN HEADON CRASH

Four persons were injured, none seriously, when two automobiles collided and were demolished two miles west of McSherrystown on the Gettysburg road Saturday evening about 7:40 o'clock, state police from the local substation reported Monday.

The injured were Raymond E. Storm, Gettysburg R. 5, driver of one of the cars, who suffered severe cuts on the chin; Rita Gouker, McSherrystown, a passenger in the Storm car, lacerations on the right leg; Rosalie Gouker, also of McSherrystown and a passenger in the Storm automobile, lacerations on the left leg and forehead, and Walter Kuhn, Gettysburg R. 5, a passenger in the other automobile involved, who had lacerations on the left side of the face.

The second car was driven by Albert W. Kuhn, of the same address as his brother. All of the accident victims were treated at the Hanover General hospital.

The two machines collided head-on and both of the 1936 model cars were almost demolished. The Storm car was damaged to the extent of \$250, while the Kuhn automobile had about \$200 damage.

Police said Monday that Kuhn will be charged with driving to the left of the highway, while Storm will be charged with failing to yield half of the highway.

Spray Letters Go Out To Fruitmen

County Farm Agent M. T. Hartman announced Tuesday that he has mailed two new spray information letters to fruit growers.

The letters contain sour cherry and peach spray information and were prepared in consultation with J. O. Pepper, extension entomologist and G. L. Zundel, extension pathologist, from State College, Hartman said that all growers who do not receive the letters but would like to do so, should contact the county extension office at the court house and have their names placed on the mailing list.

Wounded

Pfc. Glenn Nintle, 29, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Nintle, Mt. Hope, Fairfield R. D., who was seriously wounded in Germany, March 25, is now hospitalized in England. A veteran of four years in the service, he has four overseas stripes and wears a Good Conduct Medal, a Pre-Pearl Harbor ribbon and an ETO ribbon. He was home last in April, 1942.



HERBERT SMITH IS WOUNDED IN GERMANY APR. 10

Tech/5 Herbert Smith, 20, twin son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Smith, of Gettysburg, was slightly wounded in action in Germany April 10, his parents were informed by War Department telegram Sunday.

Herbert and his twin brother, Harvey, also a technician fifth grade, have been together in the army since they went into active service in February, 1943. They have been fighting with an artillery unit of General Patton's Third Army since last August 15.

The boys were attending Gettysburg college when they enlisted in the Army reserve in December, 1942, and received the call to active duty two months later. They had graduated from Gettysburg high school with the class of 1942.

They trained at Camp Wheeler, Ga., and at Fort Riley, Kan., before going overseas July 1, 1944. They trained for a month in England and then went into France to join the Third Army.

After assignment to Patton's forces, the twins went with the famous general in his race across France, and in his latest push against the Nazi forces in Germany.

Henry William Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Smith, Hanover R. 4, and Helena Gertrude Grotz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin W. Grotz, Hanover R. 4.

Clyde Edward Sterner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Sterner, McSherrystown, and Mary Angela Rider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Rider, McSherrystown.

ADVANCED PLAN IN TYRONE TWP.

A committee of Tyrone township school board members and teachers met at the office of the county superintendent of schools Tuesday evening to examine science books for the first six grades and the board's rural schools.

Tyrone township recently adopted the "6-3-3" plan of school organization whereby the first six grades are instructed in the schools and the seventh, eighth and ninth grades are transported to the Biglerville junior-senior high school, with the upper three grades from 10 to 12 being the last three of the "6-3-3" plan.

"The inclusion of a complete course of study in science is expected to aid pupils in their everyday living problems and in their future school work, especially in science and agriculture," Zeal R. Peters, board secretary said.

Tyrone township is one of the first boards in the county to adopt the complete science program and the 6-3-3 plan of education.

Committee members at the meeting, in addition to Mr. Peters, included Hiram E. Rex, treasurer and Mrs. Verna A. Starnier and Mrs. Eva R. Snyder, teachers. The committee will make a report to the full board at its next regular meeting.

SOMEWHERE IN GERMANY

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shriver, Mt. Taber, have received word their son, Pvt. Robert Shriver, is now in Germany.

TWO COUNTIANS ARE WOUNDED ON WEST FRONT

Pvt. Charles W. Smith, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Smith, Gettysburg, is reported normally improving in an army hospital overseas from a right knee and leg wound received recently in action in Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith received notification from

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MINUTEMEN TO BE ACTIVATED AS STATE GUARD TROOP TONIGHT

Announcement from the Pennsylvania Adjutant General's office that the Adams County Minutemen will be activated as the motorized cavalry troop of the First Cavalry Squadron of the Pennsylvania State Guard tonight has caused the officers and men of the county company to redouble their efforts to secure the 15 additional enlistments required to bring the troop to full strength.

"The unit has been commissioned and formal induction into the State Guard will take place at the armory Friday evening. Since Gettysburg and Adams county were selected to have this unit from among three central Pennsylvania communities that were under consideration, we are bending every effort to uphold the honor of the county by having a full-strength troop enlisted by the time of the activating ceremony Friday evening," Captain C. Arthur Brame declared.

Captain Brame stated the unit now comprises 62 enlisted men and three officers. Full strength, according to state guard regulations requires 77 enlisted men and three officers. The troop will be completely outfitted by the federal government and will be equipped with eight armored cars with sub-machine guns, two trucks, a command and reconnaissance car and four motorcycles.

The Adams County Minutemen were invited to come into the State Guard following inspection of the company ten days ago by officers of the First Cavalry squadron. The decision in favor of the county organization was based on its "military excellence" and the fact that the Minutemen commanded the support and interest of Gettysburg and Adams county, the officers stated.

Following the recent inspection the entire company voted to join the State Guard as a unit and efforts were immediately started to enlist the 30 additional men necessary to bring the company to full strength so that it could be activated as the motorized cavalry unit of the First Cavalry squadron.

Enlistment headquarters were established in the office of Philip R. Bille last Saturday and half of the required enlistments have already been secured.

Officers of the company Wednesday expressed certainty that the troop will reach full strength within the next few days.

Headquarters of the First Cavalry squadron are in Harrisburg. The roster consists of headquarters and a headquarters company, two troops of horse cavalry and one motorized cavalry troop. The one troop of horse cavalry, and one platoon of the second troop are located in Harrisburg. The other platoon of horse cavalry is located in Hanover and the mechanized cavalry troop will be in Gettysburg. It will be designated as Troop C.

Captain Brame said a number of Adams county men have expressed interest in joining the troop and have enlisted under consideration. He urged early decisions from these men.

"We can accept only 15 additional enlistments," Captain Brame concluded. "As soon as the troop reaches full strength, subsequent applications will be held as a reserve list to be drawn as vacancies exist."

Summer House Is Damaged By Fire

Damage estimated at \$250 was done by fire to a summer house on the farm of Roy Kindig, about two miles south of Littlestown, along a road connecting the Hanover-Littlestown and Littlestown-Baltimore highways, shortly before noon Friday. The Alpha Fire company, Littlestown, extinguished the blaze. The fire started near a fireplace in the building, a frame structure with a tin roof. Most of the damage was done to the upper part of the building, the fire burning between the ceiling and the roof. Firemen used water from a booster tank to extinguish the fire.

Soldier On Leave Is Wounded In Toe

Pvt. Charles Shultz, Gettysburg R. 2, home on furlough from Camp Blanding, Fla., was treated at the Warner hospital late Friday afternoon for a gunshot wound to a toe on his left foot. Pvt. Shultz was preparing to shoot blackbirds when the gun accidentally discharged. He was later removed to the hospital at the Carlisle barracks.

COLLEGE WILL OPEN SUMMER CLASS JUNE 11

The 1945 summer session at Gettysburg college will open June 11 with a registration day for students, it was announced April 29.

The session will extend to August 31 when the second half of the summer term will end. The first part will terminate July 20 when students will be granted a three-day holiday, and the second term will open on July 23.

Freshman Week and the registration of new students for the regular 1945-46 school year will begin September 17 and extend to September 20 when the formal opening exercises will take place. Classes are scheduled to begin the next day.

Other Holidays
Thanksgiving is listed as the only holiday until December 14 when the Christmas recess will begin. Classes will be resumed January 3, 1946. The second semester was listed to start January 29 and commencement exercises were set for May 27.

Commencement this year will be held May 28, beginning at 10 o'clock in the morning. The baccalaureate sermon will be preached the preceding day, while the preceding Saturday, May 26, will be devoted to the annual alumni collation and other alumni activities.

Examinations for the present semester in session will be held from May 17 to 24, when class activity will end officially. Although a baccalaureate speaker has been made at the college of a speaker for the commencement exercises.

EMPLOYERS ARE DINNER GUESTS OF B-P WOMEN

Members of the Business and Professional Women's club of the YWCA entertained their employers and guests last Thursday evening at the Y building, center square. A Victory Garden motif was carried out on the V-shaped table by the use of miniature wagons heaped with vegetables. A color scheme of red, white and blue was used and individualized place cards designated the seating of the guests.

Sara Jane Maust, club president, serving as toastmistress, introduced W. A. McKim, assistant general manager of the General Industrial Finishes, a division of the General Printing Ink corporation, who told of his experiences in his work.

Judge W. C. Sheely paid a tribute to the late Franklin D. Roosevelt. Elsie Kessel gave a reading entitled "While He Waited." Helen King paid a tribute to the employers in response to which Elmer J. Yoder, of the C. H. Musselman company, Biglerville, talked briefly. Charles L. Yost, head of the music department of the Biglerville schools, sang several selections, accompaniments for which were played by Mrs. Yost. Group singing was led by Jean Spangler with accompaniments by Jeanne Spangler.

The committee in charge of arrangements for the dinner, which was attended by 70 persons, included Sylvia Wible, Esther Hartman, Roberta Bittinger, Ellen Buehler, Helen King and Viola Sachs.

Pvt. Crawford Bender Wounded In Germany
Mrs. Anna Bender, Aspers, formerly of Benderville, has received a letter from her husband, Pvt. Crawford L. Bender, 23, informing her that he had been wounded in the right wrist by shrapnel in action in Germany March 31. The letter was followed by a War Department telegram stating Pvt. Bender had been slightly wounded.

In his letter he disclosed he is in a hospital in France and is being "well taken care of." The letter was written April 7 but had been dictated because Bender was unable to use his right hand.

He entered service last July 24 and trained at Camp Croft, South Carolina, and went to France early in January. He served in an armored infantry outfit of the Third Army.

HUSBAND IS WOUNDED
Mrs. Catherine B. Grenier, Gettysburg R. 5, has received word from the War Department that her husband, S. Sgt. John H. Grenier, Jr., has been wounded in the European theatre of operations.

Miss Nona M. Diehl, executive secretary of the Women's Missionary society of the United Lutheran Church of America, addressed the student body of the Lutheran Theological seminary last Friday morning.

NOW IN FRANCE
Mrs. Robert Warrenfeltz, Biglerville, has received word her husband, Pvt. Robert S. Warrenfeltz, has arrived safely in France.

LOCAL SAILOR TELLS OF TWO JIMA BATTLE

The name of H. James Spahr, Radarman 3-c, son of Mrs. Raymond Spahr, York street, may be added to the already long list of Gettysburgians and Adams countyans who participated in the battle for Iwo Jima. In a recent letter to his mother young Spahr wrote as follows:

"I was at Iwo Jima and was on the beach for 12 days... the worst days of my life, as I was really scared."

"We left the ship an hour before H-hour and headed in the direction of the beach. We really didn't stay on the beach the first two days but on several occasions we landed and then jumped off again."

"Those Japs were really ready. Several times machine-gun bullets or some darn kind would start hitting around us and we didn't wait to find out what kind."

Heavy Jap Shelling
"On D plus 2 we went in to stay and the front lines were about 400 yards to our right or toward the north end of the island. They had to let us know they were still there by dropping mortars over two darn often and I'll bet I broke Jesse Owens' records plenty of times going down that beach. They'd start about 200 yards from our foxholes and then keep getting closer. After the first one dropped we'd start down the beach towards the volcano."

"The worst part of the deal was digging foxholes. We had to move out of the first one as they built a road near there that was mentioned in The Gettysburg Times. Our foxhole was just where they laid it. We put our radios in an LUT that was knocked out in the first few hours and fortified it with sand bags. I dug in beside it. About 5 days later they repaired it and moved it and so we were out of a home."

Photo In Times
"In the March 5th edition of The Gettysburg Times there is a picture of some Marines going up the beach and in the background is the LUT that we were set up in. If you can get a copy of it save it for me. There are a few copies of it on the ship but everyone else wants a copy. They said in there it was worse than Valley Forge, Gettysburg and Tarawa. I guess the old home town is finally getting beaten."

Radarman Spahr, who has been in service a year and eight months, has two brothers in service, Lieut. Raymond W. Spahr, and Cpl. Robert L. Spahr, both on duty in Texas with the Army Air Forces. They have been in service about two and a half years. They are home on furlough now following the recent death and burial of their father.

PLANT HEADS ATTEND BOND DRIVE SESSION
Approximately 25 industrial heads of Adams county attended a dinner-meeting at the Battlefield hotel April 19, called by E. W. Dunbar, vice president and manager of the Blue Ridge Rubber company factories at Littlestown and Taneytown, and liaison chairman of the employers payroll savings division.

Invitations were sent to managers of industries in Adams county employing 50 or more people. Edmund W. Thomas, county chairman, presided.

Thomas B. Schmidt, vice-chairman of the Pennsylvania State War Finance committee, revealed that 46 per cent of the expenses for the war are met by direct taxation and 54 per cent through borrowing. He emphasized that two drives have been planned for 1945, the present one which has a quota of \$1,460,000 in Adams county, \$700,000 of which is for E bonds. He emphasized the part the payroll saving plan can play in the sale of E bonds and urged managers to get behind the plan.

Present Skit
C. W. Carey, department manager of the Pennsylvania War Finance committee, introduced players of the American Theatre Wing who presented a skit, "The Favor," based on the war bond sale campaign. Several business concerns made arrangements for presentation of the skit.

Benjamin Wolfe, chairman of Region 5 and Dauphin county, urged the industry heads to get behind the payroll saving plan, telling them to set quotas for their plants and then "get it."

Mr. Dunbar announced he had appointed Edward T. Richardson, sales manager for the Blue Ridge company plants, to conduct the drive at those plants. Mr. Richardson explained the organization as used by the Blue Ridge company and in the absence of Tom Carfagno, of the Cannon Shoe company, also revealed the plan followed by the shoe plant.

Dr. Thomas L. Cline and Paul B. Thomas, Adams county co-chairmen of labor and payroll savings, and Stanislaus Krichten, vice president, spoke briefly.

AMERICAN CHILDREN EVERYWHERE
will stand up and be counted this week, when National Sunday School Week will be observed throughout the country.

This movement is sponsored by the Laymen's National Committee, a non-sectarian, non-profit organization with headquarters at the Vanderbilt Hotel, New York.

The Committee, now entering its sixth year of operation, is putting forth every effort to bring about a revitalization of a sober realization that America was founded on man's consciousness of God, man's daily labor and the fruits therefrom.

The purpose in sponsoring National Sunday School Week is to develop a serious acknowledgment that "As the twig is bent, so the tree inclines," and that every parent owes his child a knowledge of God, whose light always shines for those who seek it.

National Sunday School Week represents an additional annual activity of the Committee, who sponsor National Bible Week the third Monday in October each year.

The Pennsylvania Game Commission is offering at cost a set of four conservation booklets for children published by the National Wildlife Federation. The illustrations are four-color lithographs.

"My Land and Your Land" is the general title of these books, each one of which is written with a special appeal to a particular age group or grade.

"Would You Like to Have Lived When?" is the first of the series adapted for children in the third, fourth and fifth grades. It is a story of what our forefathers found here when our country was young.

"Raindrops and Muddy Rivers" for children in the fourth, fifth and sixth grades is a story in words, pictures, and example of how dependent all life is on pure, clean water.

"Plants and Animals Live Together" and "Nature's Bank—The Soil" are the third and fourth booklets for older groups through the eighth grade.

The four books are available at 50 cents a set and teachers are being urged to secure them for their pupils.

HERE AND THERE

"ANGEL EXPRESS"
Stories are drifting back from the fighting fronts in Europe and the Pacific about a new kind of supply service. Our boys out there call it the "Angel Express."

After the dive bombers have swooped in, and after the heavy artillery has softened the way, the command rings out that sends our soldiers and marines into battle.

From that moment on it's man against man, cold steel against cold steel, the jungle law of survival stripped down to life or death.

In the midst of this "hell on earth" there is no time to think of next week or even the next meal. All that has to wait, our soldiers are equipped with only the things they actually need to fight. Everything else is extra weight that cuts down their chances of coming out alive.

Later, the extra food and extra other supplies are flown in. They come by "Angel Express," dropped by parachute from our own planes.

To isolated men in forward posts the "Angel Express" is the most important and satisfying sight of the day. It is the only link that guarantees their survival. And the people of this community who are cutting pulpwood are helping to make it possible.

The parachutes of the "Angel Express" are made of pulpwood. Blood plasma kits, K-ration containers, V-bombs and all the rest of its precious cargo is made or wrapped by pulpwood—just a few of the 700,000 ways in which pulpwood is going to war.

Cut more top quality wood. Your peeled pulpwood is bringing courage to millions of our boys by the "Angel Express."

Pennsylvania will enjoy more than 116 million dollars additional tourist revenue in the first year after the war, travel trends indicate.

The annual income of tourist trade in Pennsylvania was \$339,860,000 before the war. If the state enjoys an increase in revenue proportionate to the predicted national average in commercial traffic, it will receive a tourist revenue of approximately \$455,412,400 in the first year after the war. By the third peacetime year commercial travel in the country is expected to be 57 per cent greater than in 1940... this will bring the state's revenue from tourists over the half-billion mark.

These figures are based on a travel analysis featured in an exposition of passenger cars newly designed by the Pullman Standard Car Manufacturing Company and shown in Chicago and New York to many key railroad officials.

The Railway Business Association reports that its survey reveals that traffic of all types will increase from 32 billion miles in 1940 to 43 billion miles in the first normal year after the war.

It would be well for the Gettysburg Chamber of Commerce to make plans now for an intensive publicity campaign to keep Gettysburg in the forefront of tourist objectives.

The name of Pennsylvania came about as the result of a practical joke on William Penn, writes George Stewart in his new book "Names On The Land." In 1681, the story goes, Penn went to see the King, then Charles II, to offer to write off a debt of 16,000 pounds owed him by the Crown in exchange for some American land. Penn proposed the name of New Wales for the land, and when that was refused by the King's secretary, he suggested Sylvania. As a quaker, of course, Penn could not suggest a name honoring any person, even the King, so the King had some private fun, and when the charter was brought to him for approval, called the new lands Pennsylvania. This shocked and horrified Penn, but his honest indignation beat in vain against the King, who would throw him only one bone, that the name was really in honor of Penn's father, the Admiral.

Stewart also delves into the history of the naming of many places in Pennsylvania, among them Bethlehem, Philadelphia, Pittsburgh, Scranton and others in his book. The book will be published by Random House this month.

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"Plants and Animals Live Together" and "Nature's Bank—The Soil" are the third and fourth booklets for older groups through the eighth grade.

The four books are available at 50 cents a set and teachers are being urged to secure them for their pupils.

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175 TEACHERS ATTEND DINNER OF PSEA GROUP

About 175 teachers attended the final dinner meeting of the year for the Adams county branch of the Pennsylvania State Education Association Friday night at St. John's Lutheran church, Littlestown.

Prof. Charles Yost, chairman of the program committee, acted as master of ceremonies. Mrs. Elmina Slaybaugh Deardorff, director of music in the Arendtsville schools, was the song leader, and Miss Ruth Elder, of the Littlestown schools, was the pianist.

The main speaker of the evening was Raymond Webster, of Harrisburg, field secretary for the PSEA. He was introduced by Dr. Anson Hamm, supervising principal of the Fairfield schools and president of the local PSEA branch.

Heard Two Speakers
In his talk, Mr. Webster commended the local organization for the interest it has taken in legislative work. He made mention of Adams county's representative in the assembly, Francis Worley, for the part he has taken in the passage of several educational bills. Mr. Webster also described the organization of the state PSEA and the interest that it has in legislation.

A second speaker was Lewis Adler, of Harrisburg, state attorney for the PSEA. He also commended the legislative committee of the branch. Prof. Leslie V. Stock, supervising principal of the Biglerville schools, is chairman of that group, and Prof. C. P. Keefer, New Oxford principal, and Prof. Clyde A. McCauslin, principal of the Franklin township consolidated school, are other members.

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SCOUT DINNER MEETING HELD
The operating chairmen of the Black Lodge (Adams County) district of the York-Adams Area Council of the Boy Scouts of America held a dinner meeting last Thursday evening to discuss plans for the organization of district participation in the Scout round-up planned to be held June 29 to 31 at Haines' ranch in York county.

Those in attendance included Dr. Frederick Tilberg, district chairman and Dean Wilbur E. Tilberg, O. H. Benson, William Dentler, John W. Bream and Ray F. Zaner and Russell Hild, of the York office. Announcement was made that a second dinner meeting of the operating chairmen and district scoutmasters and assistant scoutmasters will be held May 2 in Biglerville. Plans for the round-up will be completed and the assignment of duties to troops will be made.

A district meeting also was held Thursday night at Gladfelter hall at Gettysburg College. The feature of the program was the showing of a new color motion picture film entitled "The Patrol Method." Doctor Tilberg presided at the meeting and Russell Hild held a discussion for scoutmasters. The meeting was held at Mrs. Smith's restaurant.

Robert Munley Back From Attu Station
Robert Munley, Arm 3/c USN, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Munley, West Lincoln avenue, has returned from Attu, Aleutian Islands, to spend a thirty-day leave with his parents.

Petty Officer Munley, who has been in the service for three years, has completed 24 missions. He had his early training at Bainbridge, Md., Jacksonville, Fla., and Beaufort, North Carolina. Later he was in training at San Diego, Calif., and Seattle, Wash. At the conclusion of his leave he reports to Seattle.

T/5 James Munley, a brother of Petty Officer Munley, is serving under General George S. Patton with the Fourth Armored Division of the Third Army.

HIGH AUCTION PRICE
L. D. Shealer, 449 West Middle street, bought the former J. W. Kendelhart property, in the first block of West Middle street, for \$10,200 at a public auction last Thursday afternoon.

below, reports Staff Sgt. James F. Moser, Jr., a Marine Corps combat correspondent.

"How about meat and canned goods?" asked the veteran.

"Aw, still rationed."

"How about coffee and sugar?"

"Still gotta use stamps."

"How about gas?"

"Rationed."

"Well, dammit, are they rationing MILK?" asked the old salt.

"Can't retorted the kid. 'The stuff would sour!'"

They went to sleep, the old timer satisfied.

En Route to Okinawa (Delayed)—Two Marines, one fresh from the States, the other an old timer, were discussing rationing at home. They lay on ponchos, on the steel deck of the transport. It was too hot to sleep

Perished In Nazi Prison

Pfc. Lester I. Winebrenner, 39, son of Mr. and Mrs. William N. Winebrenner, Fairfield R. 2, died March 23 in a German prisoner of war camp. Pfc. Winebrenner entered the service April 7, 1942, and went overseas in February, 1944. He served with the infantry of the Third Army and had been reported as missing since January 4.

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"No specific date is known when the log church was constructed, but 1748 is the date usually given because the earliest tombstone in the graveyard back of the church is dated 1748. This early log church had no pews—just benches—neither did it have a stove. In fact, the stone church which was built in 1790 did not have stoves for nine years. Evidently, the church-goers then believed they could appreciate their religion to a fuller extent if they worshipped in an uncomfortable environment."

Improved in 1850
"The stone church had pews with very high, straight backs and doors leading into them. The aisle leading to the altar was paved with bricks. The church presents a different picture today. It has been remodeled several times. First in 1850 when the church was decided improved with a new roof, venetian blinds, lower seats, a vestibule, and carpet. Again in 1891 the church was repainted, electric lights were installed, stained glass windows were put in, and the pews were replaced by more comfortable ones. The church which is surrounded by giant oaks remains a very comfortable house of worship."

"Since 1792, the stone church has had eight ministers and the log church, four. In all probability the first minister of the log church was Rev. Andrew Bay, who received a salary of sixty pounds or what in American money amounted to about \$288.00. Probably, the most beloved minister and the one who served the longest was Dr. Paxton. The title of Doctor was bestowed upon him by the trustees of Dickinson college because of his outstanding ability in many subjects. Dr. Paxton never had a college education. Rev. W. VanCleave served 32 years. The salary of the minister a half century ago was \$750."

"The Lower Marsh Creek church played a minor roll in the Battle of Gettysburg. A sign near the church reads, 'Lower Marsh Creek Church—built in 1790—used for a hospital during Civil War—1863.' Another sign in the field in front of the church reads—'General Robert Lee staff rested on retreat after Battle of Gettysburg, July, 1863.' The minister at that time was Dr. John Warner. His home was in Chambersburg, and feeling that the congregation records were not safe in his church, he removed them to his home in Chambersburg. Unfortunately, Chambersburg was burned by the Confederates, thus the records were destroyed. Incidentally, Mrs. Warner, a frail invalid, walked that night from Chambersburg to Shippenburg, a distance of eleven miles."

"In 1940 the 150th anniversary of the erection of the stone edifice was observed. In the many years that the church has ministered to the surrounding countryside, it has served its purpose well. Still worshipping in this historic landmark, where the present enrollment is 177, the communicants are descendants of the earliest members."

RECEIVES PURPLE HEART
Mrs. Orlyn Hixon, 226 Steinwehr avenue, has received the Purple Heart awarded her husband, T/5 Orlyn R. Hixon, for a slight wound received in Belgium in January. T/5 Hixon is now serving in Germany.

IN IWO INVASION
Harold Y. Cronwell, SSMB 3/C, has informed his family, who reside on West Middle street, that his ship took part in the invasion of Iwo Jima.

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C. J. WEIDNER, JUSTICE FOR 42 YEARS, EXPIRES

Clayton Jacob Weidner, 88, York Springs R. 1, Latimore township, a justice of the peace in Adams county for 42 years, died Monday evening at 11:05 o'clock at the Warner hospital where he had been a patient since last November. He had been in ill health for two years.

Mr. Weidner was born in Cumberland county, a son of the late William and Elizabeth (Little) Weidner. He was a farmer and painter all of his life. For 24 years he served as a justice of the peace in Huntington township and after moving to Latimore township was justice of the peace there for 18 years. He was a member of the Rock Chapel Methodist church.

Surviving are his widow, the former Sarah E. Weigle, to whom he was married 65 years; four children, Harvey S. York; the Rev. Ira O. Hagerstown; Mrs. Blanche E. Peters, Gardner R. 1, and William, York Springs, and six grandchildren. A number of nephews and nieces also survive.

Funeral services Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the Pittsford funeral home, York Springs, conducted by the Rev. Earl N. Rose. Interment in Sunnyside cemetery, York Springs.

Pallbearers were Elmer Coulson, Oscar Whitcomb, C. M. Boyer, Geo. Flecker, Ralph Myers and Robert Fair.

Deaths

Mrs. James E. Davis

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Davis, 84, widow of the late James E. Davis, until recently a resident of Uniontown, died Monday evening at 11:45 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry O. Stitt, Clear Ridge, near Uniontown, with whom she resided since becoming ill. She was born in Carroll county, a daughter of the late Granville and Rebecca Pickering Shuey. Her husband preceded her in death three years ago. She leaves two daughters and a son: Mrs. Stitt, Clear Ridge; Thornton Woodsboro; and Mrs. Dallas Miller, Westminster; also 10 grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren, and a brother, Charles Wesley Shuey, Littlestown. Services Thursday at 2 p. m. at the New Windsor funeral home of D. D. Hartzler and sons. The Rev. J. H. Hoch, pastor of the Uniontown Church of God, officiating. Burial in the Methodist cemetery at Uniontown.

Harry S. Weikert

Harry Spencer Weikert, 49, who served in the United States Army during World War I, died at his home, Lincolnway West, New Oxford, Tuesday morning at 5:10 o'clock. Death was due to pneumonia. Mr. Weikert was a son of Herbert S. and Ellen King Weikert, New Oxford, and was born June 4, 1895. He was a member of St. Paul's Reformed church, New Oxford, and had been employed as a molder by the Colonial Casting company, that place.

Mr. Weikert had enlisted in the United States Army August 28, 1918, at Gettysburg, and served as a private in Company B, First Battalion, Replacement Training Center. He received an honorable discharge at Camp Lee, Va., December 12, 1918.

Surviving besides his parents are his widow, who before marriage was Viola Geisler; one son, Henry Weikert, S. 1 c, United States Navy, now serving in the Pacific; two grandchildren; three sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Clarence Wolf, Abbottstown R. 1; Albert Weikert and Clarence Weikert, both of New Oxford; Mrs. Allen Wherley, Hanover R. 3, and Mrs. Donald Kluck, Glen Rock. Funeral services Thursday afternoon with services conducted at 2:30 o'clock at his late residence. The Rev. Dobbs E. Ehlman, pastor of St. Paul's Reformed church, New Oxford, officiating. Interment in the New Oxford cemetery.

J. Howell Stonesifer

J. Howell Stonesifer, 74, Mt. Pleasant township, New Oxford R. 2, formerly of Westminster, Md., died at his home Tuesday morning at 7 o'clock from the effects of a cerebral hemorrhage which he suffered three weeks ago. Mr. Stonesifer, a retired farmer, was a son of the late Joshua H. and Sarah Strevig Stonesifer, and was born August 5, 1870. He was a charter member of Charity Lodge, No. 58, Knights of Pythias, Westminster. His only survivor is his wife, who before marriage was Fanny M. Hemler. Private funeral services this morning at 10 o'clock at his late residence. The Rev. George E. Sheffer, pastor of the First Lutheran church, New Oxford, officiating. Interment in the New Oxford cemetery.

Mrs. Bertha M. Garland

Mrs. Bertha M. Garland, 55, wife of William H. Garland, Carlisle, died Monday night at Carlisle hospital. She was a member of the Second Presbyterian church, the Westminster Bible class of the Sunday school and the Edith Rebekah lodge, Carlisle. In addition to her husband she is survived by six children, Pvt. William H. McElroy, Camp Wheeler, Ga.; Lloyd McElroy, United States Navy; Marshall Garland, United States Navy; Lois Elizabeth Garland and Mrs. George Sater, Carlisle, and Mrs. Joseph Hatter, Columbia; six

Miss Mary J. Wolff Engaged To Officer

Mr. and Mrs. C. Richard Wolff, York street announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Mary Jane Wolff, to Lt. Frank Sargent, son of Mrs. Olga Sargent, of Elmhurst, Long Island.

Miss Wolff was graduated from Gettysburg high school, attended Grove city college for one year and completed a course of training at a Pennsylvania business college in Harrisburg. For some time she was employed at the United States Naval Depot, Mechanicsburg, and is now employed in the offices of the Adams County Ration Board.

Lt. Sargent was graduated from the Dwight Preparatory school, New York, and prior to his induction into the Army in 1941 was a student at Rutgers university, N. J. He has served with the American and British Commands in North Africa and with the Alamo Scouts on New Guinea. He has been in service overseas for two and a half years. He is at present stationed at a near-by camp.

The young couple plans to be married this spring.

C. E. SHEALER DIES MONDAY

Cleason Edward Shealer, 49, a native of Gettysburg and a veteran of World War I, died Monday morning about 1 o'clock at his home at Bayside, N. Y.

He was a son of Mrs. Cora Shealer, Sachs apartments, and the late Daniel C. Shealer. He enlisted April, 1917, and was sent to Columbus Barracks, Ohio, for assignment and from there went to the Houston, Texas, aviation camp. In April, 1919, he was discharged at Waco, Texas, holding the rank of sergeant.

Mr. Shealer held an executive position with the Pan-American Airways. Last February he was transferred from Texas to New York.

Surviving in addition to his mother are his widow, the former Mae Bruce, of San Antonio, Texas; one daughter, Dorothy, a cadet nurse at Houston, Texas; one son, Cleason, Jr., serving with the Navy; one sister, Mrs. Jessie Schutt, and three brothers, Martin C., Lloyd D. and Paul B., all of Gettysburg.

brothers and sisters, Robert and William Housel, York; Raymond Housel, New York city; George Housel, Wrightsville; Mrs. Russell Siler, Wrightsville R. D., and Mrs. William McClain, New Oxford.

Services at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the J. R. Shulenberg funeral home, Carlisle, with burial in Westminster cemetery.

Alfred P. Rohrbaugh

Stricken with a heart attack while in the office of Dr. S. H. Ensminger, 409 West Market street, York, where he had gone for treatment, Alfred Paul Rohrbaugh, 60, Glen Rock R. 1, died Tuesday evening at 8:10 o'clock.

Surviving are his widow; three children, and the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. John Heindel, Seven Valleys; Edward, George, Ammonit and Silas Rohrbaugh, Hanover; Mrs. Harry Trone, New Oxford; Mrs. Chester Shue, Brodbeck and Willis Rohrbaugh, Highfield.

Roy S. Smith

Roy S. Smith, 54, Baltimore, died at his home at 11 a. m. April 18 after a year's illness of a heart condition.

A native of the Buena Vista section, Mr. Smith was a son of John W. and Mary E. (Smith) Smith. He had lived in Baltimore for the last 18 years and was a member of the Methodist church. He was a former employee of Crown Cork and Seal.

Surviving are his wife, Edna Wilard Smith; two sons and two daughters: Mrs. James Ambrose, Sparrow's Point; Mrs. Ralph Barnes, Waynesboro; Norval E. U. S. Navy, and Ordean, Waynesboro; three grandchildren and these brothers and sisters: Rufus E., Buena Vista; Elmer, Boonsboro; Mrs. Walter McClain, Fairfield; Mrs. George King, Hagerstown, and Mrs. Elmer Ferguson, Buena Vista.

Funeral services from his late home at 12:30 p. m. Saturday with services in the Keen Memorial church, Huntington avenue and 30th street, at 1 p. m. Burial in Morland Memorial Park, Baltimore.

Fred Sherdel

Fred Sherdel, 54, Valley Stream, Long Island, N. Y., a former resident of the Hanover vicinity, died April 14, following an illness of several months. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. William Sherdel, and was born and reared in the Hanover section. Surviving are his wife; five sons, all in the armed forces; two grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Ralph Butt, Gettysburg, and Mrs. William Kerwin, Valley Stream, Long Island, and one brother, William H. Sherdel, McSherrystown. Funeral services were conducted April 17 at Valley Stream, and interment was made in Garden City, L. I.

Rufus Kump

Rufus Kump, 69, Littlestown, died at the Annie Warner hospital Saturday evening at 11:05 o'clock from a complication of diseases. He was admitted to the hospital last Thursday.

Mr. Kump, last of the family of the late Anos and Mary (Basehoar) Kump, was a painter by trade.

MISSION WILL BE HELD SUNDAY AT ST. JAMES

The National Mission to Christian Teachers, sponsored by the Adams County Council of Christian Education and the Gettysburg and Adams County Ministerial associations, will be held in St. James Lutheran church on Sunday afternoon and evening.

A conference for pastors has been scheduled for 2 o'clock and will be led by Dr. William Cleveland, Harrisburg. At 3:30 o'clock there will be four simultaneous group conferences for the teachers and leaders of the children's division, the youth division, the adult division and the Sunday school administrators. The leader for the children's division will be Mrs. William Barmont, of Harrisburg; youth division, the Rev. Norman Webster, of Philadelphia; adult division, Arthur P. Bodmer, of Harrisburg, and for the administrators' conference, the Rev. Guy Meyer, a member of the staff of the Pennsylvania Sabbath School association.

In the evening from 6:30 o'clock to 8 o'clock the four group conferences will continue their discussions in charge of the designated leaders.

Organ Recital

The mission will close with a convocation in the church at 8:15 o'clock. Professor Richard B. Shade, minister of music at St. James church, has arranged an organ recital for 8 o'clock. He will play "Twilight Musing" by Ralph Kinder, "Adoration" by Felix Borowski, and "Nearer, My God, to Thee" by Mason-Matthews. The senior choir will render the anthem "The Lord Is In His Holy Temple" by R. Huntington, Woodman.

Doctor Cleveland, synodical executive secretary for the Presbyterian Church of Pennsylvania, will deliver the final address, speaking on the theme, "The High Calling of Teaching." The convocation will close with a service of dedication.

He was a member of Redeemer's Reformed church, Littlestown.

Surviving are his widow, the former Emma Myers, and one son, Nevin R., at home.

Funeral services from the J. W. Little and son funeral home, Littlestown, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock conducted by the Rev. Theodore W. Boltz. Interment in Mt. Carmel cemetery.

J. Harvey Sites

J. Harvey Sites, 58, a native of Adams county, died recently at his home in Clinton, Iowa. He had been in ill health since last fall.

He was the eldest son of the late Sherman and Annie (Lynn) Sites and was born and raised near Fairfield. He resided in the west for the last 38 years. Mr. Sites was a veteran of World War I.

Surviving are his widow, the former Ruth Robertson, of Chicago, Ill.; two daughters, Dorothy and Elaine, at home; one son, Lynn, somewhere in the south Pacific; one sister, Mrs. James R. White, Biglerville R. 2; four brothers, George, Hopkins, Minnesota; Sherman, Milton and Lawrence, all of near Fairfield.

Funeral services were held Thursday.

Mrs. Robert B. Walter

Mrs. Mary Ann Walter, 68, died at the home of Mrs. Nellie Hobbs, 343 East Main street, Emmitsburg, at 11:30 o'clock Monday evening from complications.

She was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic church, Emmitsburg, and the Sodality of the church. She is survived by her husband, Robert B. Walter.

Funeral services Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock, meeting at the home of Mrs. Hobbs, with a requiem mass at 10 o'clock at St. Joseph's church in charge. Burial in St. Joseph's cemetery.

Mrs. Mary M. Kauffman

Mrs. Mary M. Kauffman, 72, widow of Harvey U. Kauffman, died at her residence in York at 9:30 o'clock Monday night. Death was due to complications of diseases and followed an illness of many weeks.

Surviving are three children, Walter C. Kauffman, at home; Frederick A. Kauffman, York, and Miss Irene M. Kauffman, at home; sisters and brothers, Mrs. Lewis Chaney, Emigsville; Mrs. Lillie M. Klindinst, York; Mrs. Milton J. Fance, Abbotstown; Clarence L. Stump, Abbotstown, and Mrs. Harry Breighner, Spring Grove, and two grandchildren.

Funeral services Thursday at 2 p. m. at the Edward W. Baumeister colonial mortuary, Queen and Jackson streets, York.

The Rev. Dr. J. B. Baker of St. Matthew's Lutheran church, officiating. Interment on Greenmount cemetery, York.

Mrs. Arthur E. McGowan

Mrs. Grace Virginia McGowan, 41, Chambersburg R. 6, died Tuesday at 4:35 p. m. at the Chambersburg hospital.

Mrs. McGowan was a member of King Street United Brethren church. Surviving are her husband, Arthur E. McGowan; a son, Arthur Jr., at home; her father, Adison T. Sullivan, Chambersburg; and a brother and a sister: Mrs. Lena Johns, Buchanan Valley; Leroy Sullivan, Chambersburg; one grandson.

Funeral services Saturday morning, meeting at the home at 8:15 o'clock with a requiem high mass at St. Joseph's church at 9 o'clock conducted by the Rev. V. J. Fleckenstein. Interment in the church cemetery.

Funeral services in charge of Rev.

Petty Officer Lee M. Hartman Marries Virginia Girl Friday

Miss Catherine Helen Rhodes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry O. Rhodes, Scottsville, Va., and First Class Petty Officer Lee M. Hartman, former probationary of Adams county and son of Mrs. Mayne Hartman, Cashtown, were united in marriage Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock in the Methodist church at Scottsville by the Rev. A. L. Stevenson.

The bride graduated from Scottsville high school and from the School of Commerce at Charlottesville, Va. She is a secretary for the Virginia Electrical Manufacturing corporation at Charlottesville.

Petty Officer Hartman graduated from Gettysburg high school and attended Gettysburg college and West Chester State Teachers' college. He played varsity football at high school and West Chester and served as a freshman line coach at Gettysburg college.

Prior to being elected probationary in 1939 he was employed by the state at Harrisburg for some time. While probationary he also served as assistant football coach at Delone high school, McSherrystown.

The bridegroom enlisted in the Army in October, 1942, but was transferred to the navy in June,



MRS. LEE M. HARTMAN

1943. He is now an instructor in physical education in the V-12 Navy program at the University of Virginia, Charlottesville.

Following a wedding trip the couple will reside at 37 University Circle, Charlottesville.

Weddings

Reaves-Kohrbaugh

S. Sgt. John R. Reaves, Jr., Lake Mary, Fla., now stationed at Camp Pickett, Va., and Miss Betty Jane Kohrbaugh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Edgar Kohrbaugh, Fairfield R. 2, were united in marriage Tuesday, April 1, at 2 o'clock in the parsonage of the Methodist church in Frederick, Md. The single ring ceremony was performed by the pastor, the Rev. Francis Haas. The couple was unattended.

Sgt. Reaves returned April 3 from 15 months of service in the Pacific. He wears the Good Conduct medal and a Pacific theater ribbon with stars for New Guinea and East Indies campaigns.

The bride, who wore a blue coat suit and a dark blue straw hat, is a graduate of the Fairfield high school in the class of 1944.

Obdort-Nunemaker

Miss Arlene C. Nunemaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Nunemaker, 223 East Middle street, and S. Sgt. Ivan H. Obdort, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Obdort, York Springs, were united in marriage Wednesday, April 18, at 10 a. m. in the rectory of St. Francis Xavier Catholic church. The single ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Fr. Mark E. Stock, rector.

The bride wore a white street length dress with navy blue accessories and a corsage of red roses and white sweet peas.

Miss Dorothy Rosensteel, Steinwehr avenue, who attended the bride, wore a pale blue dress with black accessories and a corsage of pink roses and yellow daisies.

Richard Rau, Hunterstown, was best man.

S. Sgt. Obdort is home on furlough after having spent over 18 months in the Pacific war zone with the Marine Corps.

Reynolds-Mehring

Mr. and Mrs. Nevin P. Mehring, Hanover, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Jeanne Elizabeth, to Cpl. Dennis L. Reynolds, Gettysburg. Cpl. Reynolds, who is now stationed at Fort Myers, Fla., has been in the service of his country for the past three years, having been inducted while a student at Pennsylvania State college. Miss Mehring is employed in the office of Steele's Laundry, Hanover. No date has been set for the wedding.

Lynch-Torquer

Miss Mary Forquer was united in marriage to Kevin Lynch, of New York, Saturday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Anthony's church, Emmitsburg. The bride's brother, Rev. Joseph Forquer, O.P., celebrated the high mass and wedding ceremony. The Mt. St. Mary's College Seminary choir sang the mass.

The bridesmaids were Miss Margaret Heslin, of New York, and Miss Rose Forquer, of Columbus, Ohio. They wore pink taffeta gowns with pink veils and carried pink roses and sweet peas. Maid of honor was Miss Loreta Forquer, who wore a blue taffeta gown and carried pink roses. The bride wore white taffeta with a red rose corsage.

I. V. Noel

I. V. Noel, 74, died at his home in Mt. Pleasant township, Littlestown R. 2, Thursday morning at 5:35 o'clock. He would have observed his 75th birthday anniversary Saturday.

Dr. C. G. Crist, Adams county coroner, is investigating.

The deceased was a son of the late Francis and Joanne (Adams) Noel. He was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic church, Bonneauville, and practiced farming.

Surviving are his widow, the former Victoria Smith; one daughter, Hazel, at home, and one sister, Mrs. Jacob Weaver, McSherrystown.

Funeral services Saturday morning, meeting at the home at 8:15 o'clock with a requiem high mass at St. Joseph's church at 9 o'clock conducted by the Rev. V. J. Fleckenstein. Interment in the church cemetery.

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33 COUNTIANS AT PRE-7TH WAR LOAN BANQUET

Adams county had one of the largest delegations of the 11 counties of region five of the State War Finance Committee at a special pre-Seventh War Loan Drive dinner held Wednesday night at the Penn-Harris hotel in Harrisburg.

Ben Wolfe, chairman of the Dauphin county War Finance committee and of region five, presided at the meeting. Speakers included Miss Ann Williams, Harrisburg, a lieutenant in the Army nurse corps, who was captured by the Japs during their occupation of the Philippines; Lt. Peter Burbank, an infantry paratrooper from Montclair, N. J., who parachuted behind the German lines in Italy, and the son of Gen. Carlos Romelos, of the Philippine army.

Led by Edmund W. Thomas, county chairman, 33 Adams countians attended the dinner. Those present included Elmer W. Warren, Paul D. Thomas, Dr. Thomas L. Cline, Mrs. Eva M. Pape, Prof. L. C. Keefeauver, Mrs. Wilbur L. Plank, Mrs. Ellen T. Buehler, Edgar P. Hamilton and Mrs. Frederick K. Schwartz, all of Gettysburg; Edward T. Richardson, Ernest W. Dunbar, Arthur E. Bair, Theron Spangler, Wilbur Bankert and Miss Evelyn Althoff, Littlestown.

Lloyd W. Kuhn, Bendersville; Stanislaus E. Krichten, J. Preston Smith, Miss Irene G. Miller, Mrs. Kathleen Klunk and Miss Charlotte Hagerman, McSherrystown; Mrs. Frederic E. Orist, Flora Dale; Arnold E. Orner, Arendtville; Harry C. Gulden, Aspers; J. D. Miller, Biglerville; Paul Schwartz, East Berlin; Robert W. Myers and Mrs. John Beard, Fairfield; H. B. Flaherty, Charles Elcholtz, New Oxford, and Mrs. Charles Middleton, and Mrs. Steele Stuchell, York Springs.

Gross Appointed To Farm Committee

Appointment of Congressman Chester H. Gross as a member of the Farm Machinery and Farm Labor sub-committee of the Republican Congressional Food Study Committee for the duration of the 79th Congress was announced Saturday by Representative Thomas A. Jenkins, of Ohio, chairman of the committee.

One of the first jobs to be tackled by his subcommittee, Congressman Gross said, is that of "investigating the alarming rate at which farms in many parts of the country are being abandoned or only partially operated this year because of lack of farm machinery and labor."

John Lynch, brother of the groom, was best man. George Forquer, father of the bride, gave her away. The ushers were Hugh Lynch and Edwin Kopas.

During the mass six priests were in the sanctuary. Rev. Thomas Reinhardt, Rev. Elwood Berry, uncle of the bride, Rev. James Burke, Rev. Peter A. Coad, Rev. Francis X. Desmond and Rev. John Gordon.

A reception followed the mass at the home of Rev. Elwood Berry. Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Keating, Chicago; Mrs. John Carroll, Baltimore; Miss Nellie Hewitt, Silver Springs, Md.; Mrs. Harold Swartz, Washington, D. C.; Mrs. Robert Conklin, New York, the groom's sister, and Miss Maude Goodsell, of Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynch will spend their honeymoon in New York after which they will return to their apartment in Baltimore.

Miss Esther Staley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Staley, York, who formerly resided on West street, and Mahlon Napp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Royd Napp, Troxleville, Pa., were united in marriage last Saturday morning at 11 o'clock in Westminster, Md. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. Lowell Ensor.

The couple was attended by Miss Catherine Staley, Gettysburg, and Junior Staley, York, sister and brother of the bride, and Miss Mary Cook, Gettysburg.

The bride wore a baby blue suit with a red rose corsage. The couple will reside at the home of the bride's parents.

Miss Evelyn A. Mathias, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Mathias, Littlestown R. 2, and Robert A. Mayers, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Mayers, also of Littlestown R. 2, were married Friday afternoon in St. Mary's Lutheran church, Silver Run, by the bride's pastor, the Rev. F. R. Seibel. They were attended by Miss Dorothy V. Slagle and Ivan F. Kindig as bridesmaid and bridegroomsman respectively. Both young people are graduates of Littlestown high school. The bride has been employed as cashier by Murphy's store, Hanover. The bridegroom is associated with his father in farming, and the couple will reside on the farm.

The wedding of Miss Frances M. Flickinger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Flickinger, Harrisburg, and Dr. Carol H. Konhaus, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Konhaus, Mechanicsburg, was solemnized Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Trinity Methodist church, Harrisburg, with the pastor, the Rev. J. Merrill Williams, performing the ceremony.

Doctor Konhaus, a graduate of Mechanicsburg high school, Gettysburg college and Jefferson Medical college, Philadelphia, is now serving his internship at the Harrisburg hospital. He is a member of the

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Miss Betty Louise Coleman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Coleman, Gettysburg R. 3, and Cpl. Donald C. Kriel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kriel, New York city, were united in marriage in Rochester, N. Y., Friday, April 13.

The bride graduated from Gettysburg high school in 1940 and was employed for a time at the Mickey beauty shop, Carlisle street. Later she was employed at the Letterkenny Depot, Chambersburg, from where she was transferred for similar work in Philadelphia.

Cpl. Kriel is with the Maintenance Division of the same war plant in Philadelphia.

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CHAMBER HEARS READING SAFETY OFFICIAL SPEAK

The human and the financial phases of safety programs in industry were set forth by Charles K. Hoch, inspector of safety for the Reading railroad in an address Wednesday evening before 35 members of the Gettysburg Chamber of Commerce at their April dinner meeting at the Hotel Gettysburg.

Introduced by Henry W. Garvin, president of the Chamber, Mr. Hoch emphasized the need for "education and training programs" in the application of any set of rules to protect industrial workers from injury or accident.

The support of top management and supervisory employees is essential to the success of any safety program, Mr. Hoch declared as he outlined the steps followed by the Reading railroad in slashing accident rates until that company won the award of the national safety council for B group railroads during last year.

Essential to War Work

The Reading railroad has more than 300 safety rules in its book of regulations, Mr. Hoch said and added: "Every one of those rules was written by a dead or crippled workman. It pays the railroad financially to reduce its accident rate and there is also the more important humane reason for protecting railroaders from disastrous results of carelessness or ignorance on their own part or that of others."

Mr. Hoch told the group he started work on the railroad as a repairman in the shops and that it has been his observation that "untrained men are not productionists."

The critical importance of an adequate safety program on the part of railroads in war time to protect manpower and property was stressed by the speaker who declared the Reading company would have been greatly hampered in fulfilling its responsibility in the war effort without the benefits of the present safety program. He spoke specially of the many rules governing the transportation of explosives and other dangerous cargoes.

Greeted New Members

President Garvin presided at the meeting and announced the Chamber now has 74 paid up members including a number of new members. He welcomed new members present at the meeting.

N. B. Schuurman, a former president of the Chamber, was introduced and spoke briefly.

After Mr. Hoch's talk a reel of colored motion pictures titled "Life Line of the Nation" was shown depicting the role of the railroads in wartime. Sgt. Raymond Strohm operated the projector.

Mrs. Helen Snyder, Chamber secretary, announced that window stickers may be secured by members at the Chamber offices.

Pfc. Albert Gilbert Gets Commendation

With Advance Supply Forces, Belgium. (By Mail)—Pfc. Albert Gilbert, of Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, recently received a commendation for outstanding service as a teletype operator. The commendation was signed by the commanding officer of the 312th Signal Service Battalion which is stringing communications for the fast-moving First Army in Germany.

The commendation read in part: "These men have not done just their duty; they have gone further than that and have proven themselves outstanding."

This Advance Section, Communications Zone, unit has established a series of repeater stations throughout liberated Europe since they arrived on the Continent after D-Day. The 312th has linked important military headquarters with teletype communications. Their linesmen have dodged sniper fire on icy poles in order that essential messages could speed between Army installations.

Pvt. Gilbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Gilbert, 202 Chambersburg street, entered the Army in March 1942 and arrived in England in April 1944. He is a former electric organist at the Town Tavern, Chambersburg. He is a graduate of Zeck-Wehrhahn Musical academy, Philadelphia.

E. Robert Deardorff Promoted Overseas

Mr. and Mrs. Erle Deardorff, 157 Carlisle street, have received word that their son, E. Robert Deardorff, has been promoted to the rank of staff sergeant and has been awarded the combat infantryman's badge.

This is the third promotion for Sergeant Deardorff since he has been overseas. He has been in Germany since March 14. A second son, Tech 3 Richard P. Deardorff, has arrived safely in France Mr. and Mrs. Deardorff were informed this week. Their third son in the Army, Pvt. Dale Deardorff, is stationed with a military police unit at Harrisburg. He served overseas and was wounded in France last summer.

LETTERS GRANTED

Letters of administration in the estate of the late Charles A. Crowl, who died last Friday in East Berlin, were granted Wednesday afternoon at the office of the register and recorder to Gretna Burgard, East Berlin R. 3, and Ruth Gibbs, East Berlin. The estate was valued at about \$3,000 in personal property.

Sgt. Staley In Cage Tourney In China

Kunming, China. (By Mail)—Sgt. Ray O. Staley, son of Mrs. Anna E. Staley, 69 Stevens street, Gettysburg, was a member of "SOS All-Stars" basketball squad which recently competed in an all-China tournament here.

The tournament was composed of teams from all branches of the service and trophies and individual awards were presented to the champions and runners-up. Banners were presented to all the competing teams and in addition an award was presented to the "Outstanding Player," and the "Best Sportsman," of the tourney.

Staley is on duty with Services of Supply, China Theater, under the command of Major General G. X. Cheves.

He is a graduate of Gettysburg high school, class of 1942, where he played football and basketball and was on the track team.

COL. NIXON GETS FRENCH HONOR

With U. S. Forces in Germany—Colonel Thomas H. Nixon, of Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, Ordnance officer for the United States Third Army, has been nominated by the French Government to the degree of Knight of the Legion of Honor, for exceptional war services rendered during the operations for the liberation of France. The nomination carries with it the award of the War Cross with Palm.

In addition to the award from the French Republic, Colonel Nixon was awarded an Oak Leaf cluster to the Bronze Star Medal which he holds for meritorious service, exceptional ability and devotion to duty.

Colonel Nixon, as Ordnance officer of Lt. General George S. Patton's smashing Third Army, has been responsible for the supply and maintenance of all the guns, vehicles, armor, weapons, ammunition and thousands of other ordnance items essential to give Patton's army the firepower and mobility which is sweeping it up the road to Berlin.

Colonel Nixon also holds the Legion of Merit award. His wife, Mrs. T. H. Nixon, lives in Anchorage, Kentucky.

MINUTEMAN UNIT SEEKS NEW RECRUITS

Fifteen additional enlistments are needed by the Adams County Minutemen, who will be activated this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the armory on West Confederate avenue as the motorized cavalry troop of the First Cavalry Squadron of the Pennsylvania State Guard, to bring the troop to full strength.

At present the company consists of 62 enlisted men and three officers. State guard regulations require 77 enlisted men and three officers.

Captain C. Arthur Brame, commander of the Minutemen, Thursday urged his enlistees to redouble their efforts to secure the needed recruits until this evening. No additional enlistees have been reported since Wednesday but new recruits are expected to join at the meeting this evening.

Physical Exams
He also urged all members who have not already done so, to undergo physical examinations before any doctor of their choosing and bring their certificates to the meeting.

The new troop will be equipped with eight armored cars with sub-machine guns; two trucks, a command and reconnaissance car and four motorcycles.

The public is invited to attend the meeting which will open with the swearing in of the troop.

Among those expected to come here for the program include Maj. Harry G. Banoff, Harrisburg, commander of the First Cavalry Squadron; Maj. Edward A. Towne, executive officer of the squadron; Capt. Erman B. Mitchell, adjutant, and Col. John Shade of the Adjutant General department.

"Missing" Soldier Is Back In Action

Pfc. Harold D. Hartzell, 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hartzell, Hampton, reported last week by the War department as missing in action, is safe, his parents were notified Sunday in a telegram by Adjutant General James A. Ulio.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartzell had received a telegram early last week telling them that their son had been missing in action in Germany since March 31. Sunday's message said that Pfc. Hartzell returned to duty on April 4. No additional details were given.

The young infantryman has been overseas since January. Graduated from East Berlin high school in 1944, he entered the service last July and trained at Fort McClellan, Ala.

ATTEND CONFERENCE

Assistant County Farm Agent A. C. Hug and Miss Teresa Murren, tester for the Adams County Dairy Herd Improvement association, returned Friday from a two-day county conference held at Newport.

COUNTY SHRINE CLUB MEMBERS DINNER GUESTS

The career of the newly organized Adams County Shrine club was given an auspicious start Tuesday evening when more than 150 county Shriners and representative groups from York, Hanover and Harrisburg attended a dinner at Hotel Gettysburg, tendered the new club by Charles G. Stone, illustrious potentate of Zembo Temple.

The Zembo potentate was accompanied by several of his divan.

Radford H. Lippy, president of the new club, presided as toastmaster and addresses were made by Potentate Stone, Herbert Senseman, of Harrisburg, membership chairman of Zembo Temple, and J. Ramsey Taylor, of York, a past potentate. Following the dinner a floor show was presented.

Play Entertainment Program

President Lippy announced that membership in the county club now comprises 130 Adams county Shriners who are members of Zembo Temple. He told of the need for a county organization and stated that the club officers and directors are developing plans for an all-year entertainment program.

Potentate Stone told of the work of Zembo Temple and congratulated the county Shriners upon organizing. He outlined activities to be followed and assured the county group of the support of the parent temple, which is now one of the large shrine groups of the country with a membership of about 6,000.

Glenn L. Bream, chairman of the entertainment committee of the new club, was in charge of the program. He was assisted by Henry T. Bream, Dr. R. D. Wickerham, Romaine Pittenturf and Stanley B. Stover, members of his committee.

The floor show, consisting of three acts—a magician, a dancer and a banjo artist—came from Philadelphia. The performance lasted one hour.

County Club Officers

Officers of the Adams county Shrine club are: Radford H. Lippy, president; J. Herbert Raymond, first vice president; Kenneth P. Hull, second vice president; Charles W. Myers, treasurer; W. Preston Hull, secretary, and Dr. George R. Miller, reporter. Directors of the club, representative of all sections of the county are:

Clay I. Crouse, Clair F. Fohl, John B. Peters, Herman H. Spence, Richard H. Higenbotham, Glenn L. Bream, Sidney J. Poppay, John F. Kleinfelter, Glen A. Slaybaugh and Romaine Pittenturf.

Besides Potentate Stone members of his divan who attended the dinner were: Edward A. Miller, recorder; Thomas Senseman, chief rabbi; George Hamilton, photographer, and Benjamin Strouse, chairman of the board of trustees. Past Potentates present were J. Ramsey Taylor and Charles Sullenberger, of York.

ENTIRE SCHOOL JOINS LIBRARY

Reporting that nearly 300 junior, adult and group memberships in the Adams County Free Library Association already have been received from Adams county school teachers, children and patrons, the office of the county superintendent of schools—where the membership reports are compiled—announced Thursday that Stauffer's school in Reading township has enrolled 100 per cent in the library organization.

The list of members enrolled there includes the teacher, Mrs. Margie K. Moul, and 17 pupils: Kathryn Emig, Fred Emig, Goldie Sager, Phyllis Myers, Phyllis Spahr, Loretta Myers, Janet Spahr, Ruthanna Berkheimer, Gene Ruppert, Sonny Spahr, Nancy Lou Jacobs, Dorothy Myers, Betty Nitchman, Billy Emig, Sylvia Sager, all of East Berlin R. 2; Billy and Mary Louise Moul and Margie K. Moul, all of Hampton.

The school turned over \$9.50 in membership fees. The junior memberships are 50 cents each.

New subscriptions continue to be reported daily at the superintendent's office from many parts of the county.

Juvenile Held In Hit-Run Case

State police announced today that they had apprehended the driver of the automobile which failed to stop after knocking Tim Young, Hanover R. 3, to the Hanover-Carlisle highway a short distance north of the Mehring garage Monday night.

The driver, a juvenile from New Oxford R. 2, will be taken into juvenile court, police said. Young was pushing a bicycle along the highway when he was run down. The driver of the car did not stop.

Young was taken to the Hanover hospital in the ambulance.

The accident happened about 7 o'clock about two and a half miles north of Hanover. Police apprehended the driver Tuesday after searching throughout the area for an automobile which answered the description of the hit-and-run car.

ARRESTED FOR SPEEDING

Virgil A. Seabough, Washington, D. C., paid a \$10 fine and costs Saturday afternoon following a hearing before Justice of the Peace John H. Baschore on a charge of speeding. The information was filed by the state police.

Sgt. Roy B. Boyer Receives Awards

Sgt. Roy Brown Boyer, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Boyer, East Berlin R. 2, and husband of Mrs. Mary Fair Boyer, York, who is serving overseas with the 15th Air Force, has received the European-African-Middle Eastern Theater ribbon with two Battle Stars for participation in the Naples-Foggia, Rome-Arno campaigns, and the Good Conduct medal for meritorious service. It has been disclosed by an official dispatch. Sergeant Boyer is now in Italy, having seen previous service in Africa.

A graduate of the East Berlin high school in 1942, Sergeant Boyer entered the armed forces in the fall of that year. He was sent overseas in the fall of 1943.

Two of Mr. and Mrs. Boyer's four sons are in service. An elder brother, Ralph W. Boyer, has served for the past year.

SOROPTIMISTS HEAR AUTHOR AT DINNER MEETING

Thirty-five members and guests attended the monthly dinner meeting of the Gettysburg Soroptimist club Tuesday evening at Graeffenburg inn.

Mrs. Elliot Taylor, Gettysburg R. D., near Biglerville, author of the book, "Address Unknown," was the guest speaker of the evening. She described how she came to write the story out of the experiences of friends of hers in San Francisco.

The book was written in 1937 but was not published until 1939. Excerpts were published last year in the Reader's Digest and a motion picture from the novel was shown recently in Gettysburg.

Mrs. Taylor also wrote "Until That Day" in 1942. Formerly residents of Portland, Ore., San Francisco and New York, she and her husband purchased a farm recently near Biglerville.

Plan Activities

Miss Dorothy M. Warner, chairman of the hostess committee for the dinner, introduced the speaker. Other members of the committee were Mrs. Larue Ridinger and Mrs. Wilmer Bream.

Mrs. Eva Pape, presided at a brief business session during which plans were discussed for attending a dinner at Cross Keys Thursday evening in celebration of the fifth anniversary of the forming of the Hanover Soroptimist club. Also discussed were plans for a joint dinner meeting of the Gettysburg Rotary, Lions and Soroptimist clubs next Monday evening.

Among the guests at the Tuesday dinner meeting were Miss Ila Hofskoppe and Miss Mary Martin, Chambersburg; Mrs. Brenda Walker, Littlestown; Mrs. Robert A. Bream, Gettysburg R. 3; Miss Catherine Ross, Mrs. Robert P. Snyder, Mrs. Edith Hersh, Miss Elizabeth Daley, Miss Ruth Bushman, Miss Sarah Jane Maust, Miss Madylyn Null and Miss Lindora Roddy, of Gettysburg.

CLINIC HELD FOR CHILDREN

A pre-school clinic for children who will enter school for the first time next fall was held at the Franklin township consolidated school Tuesday and Wednesday under the direction of Miss Dorothy M. Warner, director of special education in the county.

This was the first year the clinic has been held in Franklin township, although it has been conducted in other districts in past years. Thirty-three children received physical and mental examinations to determine their readiness for school entrance in the fall.

Dr. Raymond Hale, of Arendtsville, conducted the physical examinations, while the teachers were in charge of the mental tests and were aided by Miss Warner, Miss Warner also consulted with the parents.

The clinics are part of an educational guidance program which Miss Warner has set in operation in the county. Similar clinics will be held in Arendtsville next Wednesday and for the Fairfield and Hamilton township schools on May 28.

Would Return Civil War Battle Flags

Harrisburg, (AP)—As a gesture of friendship, Confederate regimental flags captured by Pennsylvania units at Gettysburg, and other Civil War battles would be returned to their home states under a resolution proposed in the House.

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Moose Installs New Heads; To Initiate 125

Paul E. Miller was installed Friday evening for another term as governor of the local lodge of the Loyal Order of the Moose along with other newly-elected lodge officers. The installing officers were Howard J. Hahn and William Chronister, both of Hanover.

The list of officers inducted Friday follows: Governor, Mr. Miller; junior governor, Ralph Conover; prelate, Elmer L. Warren; treasurer, Charles Evans; trustee, Allan Harman; sergeant at arms, John Anzenberger; inner guard, S. C. Miller, and outer guard, Charles B. Hess.

At special exercises to be held by the local lodge next Sunday afternoon, a class of 125 new members will be initiated bringing the total membership to about 850. The York degree staff will be in charge. The guest speaker will be Ray Hagerman, Tyrone, a past deputy supreme governor.

APPOINT TWO NEW OFFICERS FOR AUXILIARY

Mrs. S. Richard Eisenhart was appointed financial secretary and Mrs. J. P. Rhoads was named corresponding secretary at the regular monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Annie M. Warner hospital held Monday afternoon at the nurses' home.

The appointees were named to fill positions which were authorized for the remainder of the year by a vote of the Auxiliary following a motion. The Auxiliary constitution has no provision for the election of the officers, but the group agreed that the constitution should be amended to include those posts.

Mrs. Raymond P. Sheely, president of the Auxiliary, presided at the session. Among the reports presented was that of Mrs. Eisenhart, chairman of the current drive for 1,000 members. She announced that 77 new members have been signed up, with 30 of the group from Cashtown. Cashtown was the first of the county towns to report. Mrs. Eisenhart reminded the women that individual membership dues of \$1 for the year may be sent either to her or to Mrs. Frank H. Kramer, Auxiliary treasurer.

Plan Hospital Day

Mrs. C. H. Hett, chairman of the life membership committee, reported that one new life member, Mrs. Roy W. Gifford, had joined since the last meeting. A report on the amendment to the constitution to include the new life membership plan was given by Mrs. Henry M. Scharf.

Plans for Auxiliary participation in the Hospital Day observance, May 12, were given by Mrs. Bruce N. Wolff, chairman of the special committee in charge of arrangements. She announced that the nurses' aides will assist in conducting visitors through the hospital that day. She also announced that Auxiliary members will serve tea from 3 to 5 o'clock that afternoon. The hospital will be open to visitors all day from 9 o'clock in the morning to 5 o'clock that afternoon.

SOLDIER DROWNS ON LUZON ISLE

Sergeant Axtas H. Worthington, 31, son of Mr. and Mrs. Worthington, Carlisle street, was drowned on Luzon Island in the Philippines on April 7, his wife, Mrs. Helen K. Worthington, 205 Hanover street, was informed by the War Department on Wednesday. Mrs. Worthington had previously been informed that her husband died on Luzon. On April 6 she had received a letter from her husband stating that he was well.

Details of the drowning were not divulged by the War Department on Wednesday. The young wife was advised that her husband's commanding officer would address a communication to her in which he will submit a complete report of the fatality.

Sergeant Worthington, the young widow was advised on Wednesday, served in the New Guinea campaign and had been authorized to wear a bronze service star on his Asiatic-Pacific Theatre ribbon signifying battle participation.

Sgt. Worthington enlisted in the Regular Army in 1934 and served a seven-year enlistment. He served most of that time in Hawaii and was transferred to the state just before the attack on Pearl Harbor and was put on the reserve list while recovering from an illness. He re-entered the service in 1943 and trained in Kentucky, California and North Carolina before being sent overseas.

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Wounded

Pfc. Grant E. Pope, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Pope, Abington R. 1, who was slightly wounded in action February 28 somewhere in Germany.



PASSEAU WINS 4-0 FOR CUBS IN LONE TILT

By JACK HAND
(Associated Press Sports Writer)

Cholly Grimm strummed a happy tune on his banjo Thursday with his Chicago Cubs in second place and winning form by Claude Passeau and Paul Derringer easing his pitching worries.

The mound department was Grimm's big headache all last season and when Passeau popped up in spring training at French Lick, Ind., with a sore arm the Cubs' hopes took a nose dive. The towering right-hander had the best record on the club last year with a 15-9 mark, but had to pass up the honor of working opening day.

Derringer tossed the first one, won it, and came back with a second straight victory four days later. Inasmuch as he dropped his first four in 1944 and didn't snag a victory until May 20, that was a decided improvement. His lifetime total was boosted to 209.

Passeau relieved Hank Wyse Friday against Pittsburgh but worked only one-third inning so Grimm waited until Wednesday's first start effort, a 4-0 shutout of Cincinnati, before counting on him too heavily.

Honor 10 Immortals

Cincinnati hit safely only five times, all singles, off the 36-year-oldster from Lucedale, Miss., as Bucky Walters suffered his first setback. Passeau didn't confine his efforts to pitching, hitting his first home run since 1942 in the third inning and driving in a second tally in the seventh with a single to center.

All other big league games were postponed, leaving the field open to discussion of new commissioner Albert B. (Happy) Chandler and naming of 10 new members to the hall of fame.

The diamond immortals, selected by a special committee of veteran officials and baseball writers, were Roger Bresnahan, Dan Brouthers, Fred Clarke, Jimmy Collins, Ed Delahanty, Hugh Duffy, Hugh Jennings, Mike (King) Kelly, James O'Rourke and Wilbert Robinson.

The late Commissioner Kenesaw M. Landis had been named by the same group at a December meeting but the baseball writers failed to appoint a 20th century star in their January poll.

Horseback Rider To Face Traffic Count

The "operator" of a horse will be charged with reckless driving as the result of a combination automobile and horse accident which occurred in Midway late Saturday afternoon, state police from the local substation reported Monday morning.

In addition, the horseback rider, Frederick Rutters, of Hanover, flew through the air about 35 feet after the animal on which he was mounted ran into an automobile driven by Milton J. R. Reese, Hanover, at a Midway street intersection.

Rutters landed on his back and suffered a bruised back and lacerations, police said. He refused treatment, however. The horse ran into the right fender of the automobile. The car was damaged to the extent of about \$125.

Under the state motor code, the rider of an animal is classified as the operator of a vehicle. The reckless driving charge will be brought under that statute, police said.

Jailed On Drunken Driving Charge

Albert Monroe Barnhart, Taneytown R. 2, was returned to Adams county jail Monday after waiving a hearing before Justice of the Peace Howard G. Blocher, Littlestown, on a charge of drunken driving. He is being held for August court.

Barnhart was arrested Sunday morning by Chief of Police H. S. Roberts, Littlestown, after striking a parked car in Littlestown. Information was laid before Blocher for a hearing this morning at 9 o'clock.

Pfc. Harold Hartzell Safe, Says War Dept.

Pfc. Harold D. Hartzell, 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Hartzell, Hampton, reported last week by the War Department as missing in action, is safe, his parents were notified Sunday in a telegram by Adjutant General James A. Ulio.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartzell had received a telegram early last week telling them that their son had been missing in action in Germany since March 31. Sunday's message said that Pfc. Hartzell returned to duty on April 4. No additional details were given.

The young infantryman has been overseas since January. Graduated from East Berlin high school in 1944, he entered the service last July and trained at Fort McClellan, Ala.

SAYS SYNTHETIC RUBBER BETTER THAN EXPECTED

"The performance of synthetic rubber products has far exceeded the expectations of production engineers," A. J. Pindar, representative of the Firestone Tire and Rubber company, Harrisburg, told members of the Gettysburg Rotary club in a talk at the group's weekly meeting Monday evening at the YWCA building.

"The problem in rubber manufacture is not one of raw materials but available manpower for the operation of plants," the speaker declared. "The production of rubber is 70 per cent higher than it was before the war," he said. "An enormous supply of rubber equipment, specially tires, is required, at the front lines. Tires damaged by shell fire are not repaired but must be thrown aside and replaced by new equipment in order to move ahead on schedule."

Elect Directors

A motion picture reel tracing the various stages in the production of synthetic rubber and the establishment of plantations in North and South America for the supply of natural rubber was shown.

Sgt. Raymond Strohm, of Gettysburg college, operated the motion picture machine. David Oyler was in charge of the program. President Walter Africa presided at the meeting with 45 members in attendance. One guest, Rotarian C. A. Bickler, of Hanover, also attended, and Rotarian I. Z. Musselman was present after having spent the winter at St. Petersburg, Fla.

During the business session a board of directors for the year 1945-46 was elected. Included in the new board were Dr. Chester N. Gitt, Charles L. Eicholtz, Dr. Bruce N. Wolff, Mares Sherman, David Oyler and James S. Cairns.

Plan Youth Canteen At Arendtsville

A committee of adults and young people from Arendtsville and the surrounding community met in the Arendtsville high school last Thursday evening relative to the sponsoring of a Teen Age canteen in Arendtsville.

Miss Esther Dively acted as spokesman for the youth group and pointed out the need for such a project in the community for the benefit of the youth. The committee of young people in addition to its spokesmen were: Sara Hall, Mary Alice Dillon, Janet Pitzer, Richard Walter, Sterling Singler, Charles Lady, Dale Keller and Glenn Herring. The Rev. Nevin R. Frantz, acted as chairman of the adult committee which included the following: Mrs. Harvie Raffensperger, Mrs. Eva Rexroth, Mrs. Robert Eicholtz, Miss Mary Boyer, Mrs. Lloyd Garretson, Mrs. Dale Hartzell, Mrs. Marshall Longenecker, W. A. Raffensperger, A. E. Orner, John Frederick and Roy Heckenluber.

A board of directors was elected and the following officers named: vice chairman, Roy Heckenluber; secretary, Mrs. Lloyd Garretson, and Chairman, the Rev. Mr. Frantz; treasurer, Arnold Orner. These latter officers together with Mrs. Harvie Raffensperger form the executive committee of the board of directors. A committee has been appointed to look for quarters for the Teen Age canteen. The next meeting of the two groups will be at the call of the chairman.

Wilmer Dracha Is Now A Sergeant

Wilmer Dracha, former borough council secretary, has been promoted to sergeant, his wife, Mrs. Anna B. Dracha, 257 East Middle street, has been informed.

Sgt. Dracha is serving with the